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CHAIRMAN REVIEWS POLITICAL FIELD

Washington Party United While Republicans and Democrats are Split with Factional Strifes.

A. Nevin Detrich, Washington party state chairman, on Monday issued the following statement upon the political situation in the state, and followed it with a letter to the various counties, setting forth in detail the view which the Washington party leaders take of what he terms the "sap-sucking" attempts of the Republicans to save their various local machines throughout the state, by a half-hearted attack against Penrose.

Mr. Detrich stated emphatically that the so-called fight against Penrose in the Republican primaries was a sham and that the leaders of it know full well that it will be abortive:

"A canvass of the state indicates that the Washington party ticket is certain of success in the November election. If the voters of the Washington party select the right kind of men for standard bearers—and of this there can be no question—the outcome of the election will be assured.

"The remnant of the Republican party will be forced into the field carrying the burden of "Penroseism" and all that it stands for. The Democratic party, part progressive and part reactionary, is hopelessly split, while the Washington party is united, harmonious and ready for the fray. It is, in fact, the only party in Pennsylvania whose membership is a unit on any well-defined programme of policy and legislation.

"In order that the principles for which it stands may be presented in the campaign by candidates who truly represent the party, it is essential that the great rank and file of the voters participate in the primary election on May 19.

"The Penrose machine is not deceived as to the real situation, and despite the public utterances of its leaders, they know that the steady growth of Progressive sentiment in the state points to a Washington party victory. Their whole endeavor, therefore, has been and will be to disintegrate our movement by attacking it from every possible angle. Having failed to make effective in the slightest degree their transparent appeal to Progressives to 'return to the fold,' they are now engaged in trying to do surreptitiously what they failed to accomplish openly.

"The difference between the Washington party and the Republican party is not factional, but fundamental.

"There can no more be a getting together of these two parties than there would be a chance of mixing oil and water.

"The candidacy of J. Benjamin Dimmick for the Republican nomination for United States senator, while apparently a direct attack within the Republican party against Penrose, will in reality become a vehicle for attempting to lure back into the discredited Republican organization Progressives who can be fooled into believing that there is an opportunity to punch a hole in the Penrose machine by defeating Penrose in his own organization.

Any contest against Penrose and the men whom he selects as the slated candidates to run with him on the Republican ticket within the Republican party, must of necessity prove more or less of a farce, for Penrose controls the organization vote.

"If indications count for anything, Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh, of Philadelphia, will have the support of the Penrose organization for the gubernatorial nomination on the Republican ticket. Undoubtedly Doctor Brumbaugh, or some one for him, will declare that he is an independent Republican candidate, in no wise allied with any boss or set of bosses, but that he is seeking his nomination at the hands of the voters. As a matter of fact, the men who are declaring for his nomination are the potential leaders of the organization.

"Right in line with the Republican organization's efforts to try by every means to sap the Progressive strength, Doctor Brumbaugh, it is understood, will make a play in the primaries for the nomination of the Washington party, as well as for the Republican nomination. Of course, the possibility of his obtaining the Washington party nomination is exceedingly remote, but the point in advising Washington party voters of this proposition is to show them to what lengths the organization will go.

"In various parts of the state the same trick will be played by organization candidates for the legislation who will by devious means try to foist themselves upon the Washintgon party ticket. The duty of the Washington party voters is, therefore, plain.

"Every Washington party man who desires to take part in the primary on May 19—and, of course, all of them do in order to insure the nomination of real Progressive candidates—should equip himself so that he will be qualified to vote in the primaries.

"If, in the cities where personal registration is required, he was registered last fall and enrolled as Washington party voter, he will be qualified, by reason of that registration and enrollment, to vote in the Washington party primaries.

"If, in the districts where personal registration is not required, he was enrolled by the assessors last fall, he will be qualified to participate in the primaries.

"Every Washington party man in the personal registration cities (first and second class) who did not register last fall should do so on April 15, and in cities of the third class, on April 29. If he registered and failed to enroll, he ought to go to his polling place on the dates named and see that he is enrolled.

"In the non-registration districts, every Washington party voter should go to his polling place on March 17 or 18, on which dates the registry assessors will sit, and see that he is actually enrolled as a Washington party man.

"He may believe that he was properly enrolled last fall, but as most of the assessors are organization men, the only way to be certain that he is so enrolled is to go to his registra[tion] place on these two days and see [the] enrollment. He cannot take part [in] the primaries unless he is enrolled on either one of these two days.

"Attention to these details means that the candidates to be chosen at the May primaries will be the candidates of the whole party, and that success in November will be ours."

The Suez Canal Company, which has been at work for six years in deepening the canal one foot, announces completion of the task, and the waterway now has a depth of twenty-nine feet for its whole length. The original depth in 1870 was twenty-four feet four inches, and it remained so until 1890, since when the canal has been deepened four times. It is expected that the company will authorize soon still further dregging, bringing the depth to thirty feet.

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EDGELY ETCHINGS

William Murray, of Philadelphia, has returned home after a visit with friends here.

"Gaudy" Hartshorn, our popular huckster was compelled to miss a week's trip over his route through here last week, the first time for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Adams, of this place, were recent visitors at Burlington.

Joshua Stubley, of Headley Manor, has joined the army of Rest again and is looking for a job.

The regular meeting of the Edgely Euchre Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs William L. Johnson at Riverview last week and there was a good attendance despite the bad walking. A very pleasant time was had by all and the prize winners were Mrs Thomas Dunbar, of Headley Manor, and Joseph Adams, of upper Edgely.

Misses Jennie and Mary Welsh and Annie Brogan, of Bristol, were week-end guests of friends at this place.

Mrs. Ezekial Lovett, of Tullytown, well known here, died on Sunday morning from blood poisoning as a result of having her left leg amputated. A small sore on her foot became infected and blood poisoning resulted.

There will be an entertainment and social given by Mrs. John Yount and her Sunday school class on Tuesday evening, March 17th, in the school house at Headley Manor. There will be fun for young and old. Everybody welcome. No charge except for refreshments.

Mrs. Harry McLaughlin, Jr., has been ill at the home of relatives in Bristol for several days, but is improving.

An afternoon company was given by Mrs. John Coulthart at her home at Headley Manor on Wednesday afternoon. Music and games provided the amusement and refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. Harry McLaughlin, Sr., of Riverview; Mrs. Robert C. Lisher, of upper Edgely; Mrs. Eugene Taylor, Mrs. John Mackie, Mrs. Joshua Stubley, Mrs. John Firman and Mrs. Hall, of Headley Manor.

Mrs. John Mackie, of Headley Manor, entertained a number of friends at her home at Headley Manor on Sunday.

A party was tendered Miss Mamie Lisher at her home in upper Edgely last Thursday night in honor of her twelfth birthday. There was music on the piano and games were played, after which refreshments were served on a prettily decorated table. A number of nice presents were received by the young lady, one coming from Paris. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Stubley and daughter, Mrs. John Coulthart and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Taylor and daughter, Mrs. John Firman and children, of Headley Manor; Mr. and Mrs. Harry McLaughlin, Sr., and Master Ellwood Britton, of Riverview; Master George Brown, Mr. Guy and Master Alfred Guy and Mrs. Donnell, of Edgely; Mrs. Edward Marsland and children and Harry Bordine, of Frankford.

STORM ECHOES.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McLaughlin, Sr., who were visiting friends in Philadelphia when the blizzard struck, had a rather unpleasant experience which they will remember for a long time. They left the city about seven o'clock Sunday night and got as far as Bridesburg in the trolleys when they went to the station to take a train for Bristol. They waited there until two o'clock in the morning and then got a train which landed them in Bristol about four. Upon arriving at Bristol they were compelled to seek shelter at a friend's house nearby and did not get home until Tuesday night.

The telephone company has replaced all of the broken wires with new ones and the phones are now in working order again.

The trolley company is to be commended for the prompt service rendered our people and also for putting the lights along their road in order so quickly.

The residents of Headley Manor found the towpath along the canal the best walking to Bristol during the lay-off of the trolleys.

The township authorities finished opening up the roads here on Monday, after being blockaded for a week with the huge drifts.

The R. F. D. mail carrier was unable to get over his route for three days and our residents were shut off without papers or telephone communication.

Jersey Housewives Praise the Haines System of Merchandising.

In the quaint old town of Haddonfield, N. J., there exists a select social organization known as the "Haddon Fortnightly." One of its most prominent members is Mrs. Bessie H. Remington, who at a recent meeting of the club, was made chairman of a committee known as the "Home Economics Department," whose function was to suggest methods for reducing the cost of living.

One of the first steps taken by Mrs. Remington to do her duty on this committee was to secure a copy of the grocery catalog published by Linwood Haines Limited of America, 46 Federal street, Camden, N. J., From this she selected a list of groceries amounting to between ten and eleven dollars. It is likely that she was pleased with her purchase for at the next meeting of the Fortnightly her committee made its report, which was certainly favorable to the Haines Concern.

In a letter, dated February 16th, addressed to the Haines people she said: "As chairman of the Home Economics Department of the Haddon Fortnightly, I recently gave a little informal talk on co-operative buying, followed by a general discussion on how to reduce the high cost of living. Before giving this talk, I made a visit to your store, purchased a bill of goods, found them very satisfactory, which fact I made known to the members and urged their buying from you. The Home Economics is an entirely new department in the club, this being its first year. We deal entirely with the home, trying to reduce the cost of living, labor saving and all domestic problems."

Any other housewife who is interested in reducing the cost of living along similar lines should write for one of Haines Grocery Catalogs. The prices in it appear to be from ten to twenty per cent. below those quoted by the average retail groceryman. As an example, Haines sells sugar for 3 cents per pound; other stores charge four and five. Haines sells rolled oats for 3 cents per pound; other stores charge 5 cents and more. Haines sells a golden-oak buffet for $15.29 for which cash stores in Philadelphia charge $22 and upwards. Everything in the Haines establishment seems to be proportionately as low, whether it be groceries, toilet goods, jewelry, shirt-waists and suits, sewing machines, furniture, house furnishings or agricultural implements, and Mr. Haines says that his list of regular grocery customers in South Jersey is rapidly increasing. The March issue of Haines Grocery Catalog has just been printed and may be had by writing for it.—adv.

The United States Geological Survey estimates the coal area of Colfax County, New Mexico, to be 875,000 acres, and that they contain 30,805,000,000 tons of coal. Assuming that 100,000,000 tons be taken from these mines annually, there is enough coal to last for more than 300 years.

NEWTOWN NOTES

Joel Borton, a prominent Friend from New Jersey, visited Newtown Friends' meeting and preached last Sunday morning. He was the guest of Evan T Worthington.

Misses Elna and Sophia Worthington, of Philadelphia, are visiting their aunt, Mrs Lydia Thompson, this week. All attended the wedding of Miss Eleanor Worthington and Frank Twining, at Rushland, on Saturday.

Joseph Broadhurst, of Connecticut, visited his sister, Mrs. Fred Eyre, on Sunday.

The annual supper for the benefit of the Friends' Neighborhood Guild in Philadelphia will be held Thursday evening March 19th, in the First-day school rooms.

The No-License Campaign committee of Newtown is arranging for a big mass meeting in Newtown hall for Monday evening, the 23d.

The musical tea under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., last Saturday afternoon, was a great success, both socially and financially. This Saturday a number of the W. C. T. U. members will go to Doylestown to attend the county convention.

An Irish play by Lady Gregory will be presented by several members of the New Century Club at the regular club meeting on the 18th.

A number of upsets and run aways have occurred the the past week, when the sleighing has been rather dangerous even in town; but no serious accidents have happened.

Maurice Stout was brought to his parents' home here on Monday in a most critical condition with tuberculosis.

Rebecca Carter at the Friends' Home has typhoid fever.

Mrs. Rose Longshore fell last week and broke her hip, which cannot be set, so will remain a cripple for the few remaining years of her life.

The Newtown Grange entertainment on Monday evening was a great success. A fine musical programme preceded the play. The new piano recently purchased for the hall sounded well for the brilliant concert, "A Mock Trial." The celebrated "Plummer Breach of Promise Case," was well presented by a score of the active members of the grange; and kept the house in peals of laughter.

The Friends' Association met on Wednesday evening. One of the speakers was Principal Ely, who told of Patrick Henry's part in our Nation's history.

The Parent-Teachers' League was addressed by Prof. Charles A. Ayres, of Philadelphia School of Pedogogy, on the subject of "Three Kinds of Teachers," at the regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening. The capacity of the high school is always taxed to its utmost to accommodate all who attend these meetings; and more and more the need of a school auditorium is impressed upon those interested in the borough schools.

Fallsington Items.

The Morrisville Dramatic Association will give their drama "Cranberry Corners" in Library Hall on Friday evening. A part of the proceeds are for our local L. T. L.

Mrs. Edward Crosdale has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Frank Cronsdale, who resides near Trenton Junction.

Miss Florence Squires was an over Sunday guest of Miss Ella Breese.

David Saylor, principal of the Edgewood schools, was not able to get to his school last week on account of the blocked condition of the roads.

John Hendrickson, who serves the Sunday papers, and who recently moved to Yardley, succeeded in delivering his papers both Sundays since the blizzard.

Henry Comfort left Fallsington on Saturday to join Mrs. Comfort at Daytona, Florida. They expect to return home this week.

As George Watson and brother were putting a new pump in the well of Edward Clugas the rope holding the pump slipped and it fell on Mr. Watson's foot crushing and bruising it, so that he is obliged to use crutches to get about.

Bernard Henry, who for many years lived at Stony Hill near this village, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Breisford, in Ewing township, at the age of seventy-four. His funeral was held from the church of The Incarnation at Morrisville on Monday, Rev. Francis H. Smith of this place officiating. Interment in Morrisville cemetery.

Nothing more beautiful could be imagined than the snow scenery of Saturday morning. Every twig and branch was covered with soft clinging snow, and when the sun came out it was a picture of splendor.

The Pennsylvania Railroad experienced much difficulty with telegraph poles falling across the track in the recent blizzard, and the company employed about one thousand men for repairing the wires and erecting poles along the line. The bridge across the railroad in the upper end of the village was impassable for some time. A gang of linemen working in this vicinity are quartered in a vestibuled car at the barracks yards and some are accommodated at the National Hotel here. It took five hours on Monday for several men to reach Fallsington to obtain food for those employed at the roundhouse.

Emilie Gleanings.

Mrs. Abel Lodge and daughter, Elsie, spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. George Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weaver, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright last Sunday.

Miss Anna Updike, of Trenton, was the guest of her parents over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blinn, of Andalusia, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox, on Sunday.

Earl Wright, of Emilie, had charge of opening the new state road from Emilie to Fallsington after the severe snow storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hibbs entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Harry Magill and family, Mrs. Ida Wright and daughter and William Lovett.

Invitations have been issued to the wedding of Miss Lillian Wright and William Lovett, March the twenty-first, in the Emilie M. E. church.

A humorous lecture will be delivered by Keith Cherry in the Emilie M. E. church on Friday evening, March 13th. Mr. Cherry, of Philadelphia, has lectured in many of the large churches of his home city and elsewhere.

Sunday school Sunday morning at 9.45; preaching at 10.45. This is the last Sunday before conference.

Tullytown Brevities.

The trolley cars have their road open and the cars are running on schedule.

The Rev. E. B. Harshberger has been suffering from sligls.

The school was closed several days last week on account of the storm.

Christy Johnson was an evening visitor in Trenton last Tuesday.

Robert Chase, Jr., is confined to his home with illness.

HULMEVILLE NEWS

Miss Erda Schatt spent the week-end visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Ella Slack, of Yardley, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Alexander Crosson.

The business meeting of the Epworth League was held in the lecture room of the M. E. church on Monday evening.

Ewald Reetz, Sr., was a visitor in Philadelphia last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse G. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hibbs attended a grange meeting at Bustleton on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Orville Phillips and children, of Newtown, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips.

The Hulmeville school board held its regular meeting on Monday evening in the school house.

H. J. Illick left on Tuesday for Bangor, where he expects to spend a few days.

Miss Clara Illick spent Monday in Philadelphia.

The Hoffman Adult Bible Class held their monthly business meeting in the lecture room of the M. E. church on Friday evening.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gilbert, on Tuesday of last week.

ANDALUSIA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Harmer, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Kuhn and Mrs. Herbert Smith and daughter, of Washington, D. C., were recent guests of Mrs. F. Weiss.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Lewis, Jr., will sail for Europe in May and will spend June at Manheim, Germany. They will return home in September.

Mrs. William Roberts Howell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, has taken a cottage at Cape May for the summer, which they will occupy in May.

Conard Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Conard Cook, died on Sunday.

Mr. Nickel attended the funeral of his father, John Nickel, on Monday. Interment was in Northwood cemetery.

On Tuesday Charles Smith, residence unknown, was killed by a train at Torresdale.

The wedding of Edward Blynn and Miss Amanda Lippincott took place last week. The reception was held at the bride's home, on Saturday evening.

Mr. Lane died at his home here on Tuesday, February 10th.

Miss May Timmins while coasting had the misfortune to break her leg. She is the granddaughter of Scott Terry.

Mr. Oliver has been on the sick list.

Several Andalusians were compelled to spend the night in Cornwells station and Andalusia station on account of the blizzard.

The funeral of George H. Bueck, aged twenty years, had to be postponed on account of the weather.

Mr. Porter entertained Mrs. King and daughter, of Frankford, the past week.

March fourteenth, All Saints church, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., a devotional meeting and conference for the Women of All Saints church, Chapel of the Redeemer and the neighboring parishes. Rt. Rev. Philip M. Rhineindear, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese, will conduct the services.

On the fifteenth, holy communion and address by the bishop. Andalusia chapel, 7.45 a. m., corporate communion for the St. Agnes Chancel Guild. Evening prayer and address, 4.15 p. m., by William B. Wood, St. Pauls church, Overbrook, Pa. 8 p m., address by Thomas William Bennett, Holy Trinity church, Delair, N. J.

Friday 4 p. m., services by rector. 8 p. m., Rev. Frederick M. Kirkus, rector of Trinity church, Wilmington, Del.

Sunday, the twenty-second, St. John chapel, 7.45 a. m., corporate communion for the vestry and laymen of the parish. Church, 10.30 a. m. Chapel, 11 a. m. Chapel, 8 p. m.

Caught with the Scissors

The coast line of England is 1800 miles.

Of the 50,000 cab horses in Paris twelve years ago but about 7000 remain.

More than 35,000 school children were taught to swim by the London County Council last year.

Pure saccharin is 550 times as sweet as sugar. A sweet taste may be imparted to 70,000 parts of water.

Divers are now equipped with a telephone so they are at all times in communication with the surface.

About one-third of the world's product of pig iron is accounted for in the United States, Great Britain and Germany.

Miss Askitt: "Doctor, is it dangerous to the brain to bleach the hair?" Dr. Emdee: "Yes. It's likely to make one lightheaded."

In this country there are about 277,000 acres, sufficient to support 6950 cattle or 55,600 sheep, now worthless on account of the prairie dogs.

Great scientists have computed that the earth is not more than 53,000,000 years old. One noted geologist puts it at as low as but 100,000 years of age.

It is estimated that in the United States 132 persons out of 100,000 are in prison on any given day, in Italy 217, and in the United Kingdom forty-six out of every 100,000 inhabitants are in jail.

Kitty Gordon, the actress, has started a new fad, a little bird painted on her cheek. From the looks of Kitty's pictures, if she would paint a few clothes on her back it would be more appropriate.

An imperial elephant with tusks fifteen feet long and with bones exceeding many times the dimensions of the largest living species is being unearthed in the great asphalt beds at LaBrae, near Los Angeles, California.

"Can you tell me what kind of weather we may expect to find next month?" wrote a subscriber to the editor of a paper, and the editor replied as follows: "It is my belief that the weather next month will be very much like your subscription." The inquirer wondered for an hour what the editor was driving at, when he happened to think of the word "unsettled." He sent the required amount next day.

While freezing winds swept across the Potomac from the sloping Virginia hills where stands the Lee Mansion at Arlington, a bareheaded Southern officer of the Civil War on February 12 opened the simple exercises that marked the breaking of ground for the construction of the great white marble memorial the nation is about to erect to Abraham Lincoln. That day, the one hundred and fifth anniversary of Lincoln's birth, was chosen for the breaking of the ground from which the $2,000,000 structure will rise as rapidly as the co tractors can push the work.

LANGHORNE LOCALS

Mrs. William B. Parry entertained by a luncheon on Wednesday and will also give another luncheon on the 18th inst.

Howard Mathet will move to Frankford in the near future, having secured a position there.

Mrs. Jesse Lukens and Mrs. Harry Stewart entertained again by a luncheon on Wednesday, the twelfth.

Little change is noted in the condition of Mrs. Joseph K. Harding, who has been critically ill for several weeks.

Sleighing parties have been much in fashion, the trip to Newtown being the favorite route.

Town council postponed its meeting from Monday, the 2nd, to Monday, the 9th.

Rudolf Birkmaier has moved into the Odd Fellows' property and will have charge of the hall.

Mrs. Fred M. Paist addressed the midnight meeting last Sunday at Forepaughs Theatre.

The sermon this Sunday evening, March 15th, at the Presbyterian church will be addressed to the members and friends of the Bucks County Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Mr. Hubbart, of Ford City, has been spending some time with Frank Thomas.

At the Congregational meeting held last Wednesday evening C. Clifford Riggs, Fredeick M. Paist and George Hobbs were elected ruling elders of the Presbyterian church.

Miss Ethel Praul is on the sick list.

A temperance meeting in the interest of the "No License" campaign of Bucks county will be held at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening, March 18th. All members of the W. C. T. U. and those interested are invited to be present.

David Ridge had an old time barn raising on Thursday to replace the one destroyed by fire.

Miss Phyllis Weitz, of Germantown, was a week-end visitor of Miss Cynthia Leedom.

Rev. William H. Micheals will attend the conference of the Methodist church to be held at Pottstown the 18th inst.

The entertainment to be given by the young people of the Methodist church has been postponed until Friday, the 13th inst., owing to the inability to have full rehearsals during the stormy period. The extra rehearsals will make "Examination Day at Woodhill School" par excellent.

Miss Angie Whitson and Mrs. Lydia Wiley have been visiting in Lancaster attending the wedding of their niece, Annie Emily Whitson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson Whitson to Isaiah Witmer Stehman on Thursday, February 19th, at the bride's home in Lancaster.

We missed our good friend "The Town Clock" from 7.45 p. m. Sunday until 8 o'clock on Monday evening its face and hands being submerged in snow. It was a very pleasant sound to hear its mellow tones again note the passing time

Elmer Bazzel will move into the Edward Livezey property on East Richardson avenue.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society was held on Wednesday in the Methodist church parlor.

Mr. Melon, of Sea Cliff, N. Y., will return to the house he formerly occupied on Winchester avenue.

Miss E. Myers, of Stroudsburg, has been appointed to fill the vacancy at the public school caused by the resignation of Miss Wassar.

"Vera's Vacation" and "Aunt Jerusha's Quilting Party" are the two plays to be presented by the Ladies' Auxiliary on Friday evening, February 20th, in the hall. Those in authority predict these plays will be especially enjoyable from point of humor and from the portrayal of the characters.

Japan and Immigration will be the subjects discussed at the Woman's Home Missionary Society at Mrs. F. M. Paist's on Tuesday afternoon, March 17th. Mrs. Joseph Foster and Mrs. Paist will be the hostesses.

Rev. William H. Michaels will preach the last sermon of the conference year this Sunday, thus making the close of two years of faithful service as pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in which the gospel was presented to the members and friends of the M. E. church in a most acceptable and scholarly manner. Mr. Michaels will attend the conference to be held at Pottstown from the 18th to the 24th inst., to be presided over by Bishop F. Berry.

Thirty-five linemen have been staying at the Eberlin Hotel and are engaged in repairing the damage done to the Western Union by the blizzard. The men are from several sections of the United States, Georgia, Virginia, Tennessee, Ohio, Jersey, and North and South Carolina. The damage being only in the Eastern section, men from all quarters were summoned to rapidly restore connections. The heavily laden poles felt keenly the effect of the storm, on the road leading to Janney, there not being a pole standing, all buried neath the heavy drifts.

Cornwells and Vicinity.

Miss Elva Snyder has scarlet fever.

Walter F. Shenton spent the week-end as the guest of his brother, Rev. Herbert N. Shenton.

Ivins Knight was in town on Sunday last.

The Zschamisch children now attend the Brown-Crispin School in Holmesburg.

Mrs. C. H. Blaker spent Monday and Tuesday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Rose Woods and Walter Kline spent an enjoyable evening in Frankford on Saturday last.

Miss Dorothy C. Blaker attended a luncheon on Saturday afternoon given by one of the members of the Kappa Phi Club, of which Miss Blaker is a member. The luncheon was held at Wissinoming, Pa.

The supper was a grand success. The members of the Pastor's Aid Society wish to thank all of those many people whose hearty co-operation helped to make it a success. The crowd was large and the supper was very good.

Mr. and Mrs. Cave have rented the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Johnson Minster.

Some one entered the chicken house belonging to A. C. Wildman and stole fourteen hens. Mr. Wildman noticed the loss early on Tuesday morning.

Tobert Watson and family expect to move into the house on Hulmeville road, which belongs to Mr. Levengood.

Another change has taken place in the Cornwells school. Mr. Parry has left and Miss Janet Marshall has taken his place. Mrs. Arby has the primary school.

The street lamp which belongs at Wildman's hardware store was taken on the night of the blizzard. It was found at the Croydon car barn several days later and when found was minus its globe.

The speed of a carrier pigeon for 100 miles is about 125 feet a second.

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SOME FIRST THINGS

The first white man to set foot on the mainland of the North American continent was John Cabot, or Giovanni Caboto, a Venetian mariner who received letters patent from Henry VII, dated March 5, 1496, just 418 years ago. The Italian had been a merchant in Bristol, England, for many years before his ambition was fired by the discoveries of Columbus leading him to apply to the English monarch for permission to fit out a fleet for a voyage of exploration. He sailed from Bristol in 1497, with two ships, accompanied by his sons, Sebastian, Lewis and Sancio. Historians differ as to Cabot's landing place, although the evidence apparently favors Cape Breton, Nova Scotia. Others hold that Cabot and his adventurers first touched the shores of Newfoundland or landed amid the ice and cold of Labrador, but the Cape Breton theory has received almost conclusive proof. Thus it was Cabot who first planted the English flag on American shores, and who paved the way for those settlements which have developed into the mighty Dominion and the great republic. With his frail and feeble vessels he sailed stormier seas than Columbus ever saw, and his reward was even less than that of the Genoese adventurer.

The first performance of "La Traviata," one of Verdi's greatest operas, was given in Venice sixty-one years ago, March 6, 1853. Guiseppe Verdi, whose centenary has just been celebrated scored his first success with "Nabucodonosor," in 1842. This was followed by "I Lombardi," "Ernani," "Rigoletto," "Il Trovatore," and then "La Traviata," the last three the best, as they are the last of the Italian opera school. "Aida," first sung in 1871, showed that a revolution had taken place in Verdi's mind and method. La Traviata" is based on the celebrated novel of the younger Dumas, "La Dame aux Camelias," which was published in 1848 and produced as a drama in 1852, but in the opera, the period is changed to the reign of Louis XIV. The Marguerite of the novel and drama becomes Violetta in the Verdi opera. The initial scene shows Violetta in the midst of an assemblage of gay pleasure seekers, and the story of the opera closely follows that of book and drama, ending with the pathetic death of Violetta.

The first "martyrs to trade unionism" were thrown into jail at Tolpuddle, Dorsetshire, England, seventy-one years ago. They were James and George Loveless, Thomas Stanfield, James Hammett, John Stanfield and James Bryne. The first three named were Wesleyan preachers, who worked as farm laborers on week days and preached the gospel on Sundays. Their imprisonment was due to a proposed reduction in wages from seven shillings to six shillings—less than $1.50 per week. The landlords were all-powerful in Dorsetshire, and the "conspirators" were arrested, stripped, shorn of their hair and cast into gaol, and eventually sentenced to seven years' imprisonment—"not," said the judge, "for anything you have done, or as I can prove you intend to do, but as an example to others." A monument at Tolpuddle commemorates the names of "the first martyrs to trade unionism."

The first European encyclopedia was probably the work of Abolpharagius, the first volume of which was published 672 years ago. To the Chinese, however, belong the credit for having originated the encyclopedia idea, and China boasts of having the largest of all encyclopedias. The Great Encyclopedia of China is by far the most stupendous literary accomplishment in the history of the world. The work of compilation has been carried on for centuries, and has engaged the labors of over 2,000 scholars. The "Young-Lo Ta-Tien," as the work is called, comprises over 22,000 sections and is bound in 11,000 volumes, each half an inch in thickness. The work contains a total of 917,480 pages. The volumes when laid flat one upon another form a stack of books 150 feet in height. There are only a few complete sets of this gigantic work in existence. The first English encyclopedia was issued in 1706. The great French "encyclopedia" of Diderot and D'Alembert, whose daring writings are believed to have hastened the French Revolution, was published in 1751 and succeeding years. The Encyclopedia Brittanica was first published by William Smellie in 1771.

The first settlement on the site of St. Paul was made in 1838, when a French Canadian built a rude cottage which was to serve as the nucleus of the future capital of Minnesota. The city of St. Paul was incorporated sixty years ago, March 4, 1854, gaining its name from its first church, St. Paul's, built in 1841 by father Gaultier, a French-Canadian Catholic priest. Minnesota, first explored by Frenchmen from Canada, had a varied history after coming into the possession of the United States, and at one time or another portions of the future state belonged to Indiana, Upper Louisiana, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin and Iowa. French, English, Scotch and Swiss traders and settlers made up the population when the Stars and Stripes were first hoisted over the country. In 1848 a convention was held at Jackson's store, in St. Paul, to petition for a separate territorial government for Minnesota, and in the following year the territory was created, with St Paul as the capital, the first Legislature meeting at the Central House. St. Paul then had eighteen houses, but thenceforth its growth was rapid, although it has been outstripped in the race for supremacy by the twin city of Minneapolis, which was incorporated in 1867.

Plans for a State-wide festival on behalf of wild birds, to be held on Arbor Day, March 17, in Oklahoma, are being made by John B. Doolin, State game warden, and Robert H. Wilson, State Superintendent of Education. They hope the celebration will become an annual event.

TOOTH TALK

Little talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M. D., LL. D., Commissioner of Health.

The African savages who polish their teeth to ivory whiteness with the chewed end of a stick may be woefully deficient in many ways but in their extremely careful observations of this hygenic rite, they can serve as an example to many civilized people.

The proper care of the teeth is as essential to the well being of the body as is the unceasing vigilance of its sentries to a beleaguered army. The mouth gives access to infection. Unless the teeth are kept clean they will become infected and decay.

Tiny particles of decomposed food remaining between the teeth makes an ideal breeding ground for germs. When this condition exists, these unwholesome little enemies find their way into the blood through which they are circulated into all parts of the body.

This likewise promotes the decay of the teeth, which means the breaking down of an essential part of our physical machinery. The proper mastication of food is an essential to good digestion and broken, illkept incisors, biscuspids and molars do not make satisfactory grinding machines. As a result unfair demands are made upon the digestive system and trouble is apt to ensue.

With dentistry in its present high state of development there can be but one plea advanced for rotting, illkept teeth—carelessness. Begin with the children at an early age and teach them to clean the teeth thoroughly at least twice a day, morning and evening. Do not allow the fact that the first teeth will be replaced by others to excuse neglect in the care of the children's teeth. Their present health, the prevention of decay and its accompanying pain and the formation in the early years of the essential habit of cleanliness make the care of children's teeth of the utmost importance.

This is equally essential to the health of adults; numerous ailments of a serious nature can be traced directly to bad teeth. Then too there are distinct advantages to be derived from proper care. Think what a cheerful introduction a smile becomes which displays a row of sound teeth. It seems to bespeak cleanliness, healthfulness and self-respect.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Large scandals from small talks grow.

Prosperity helps some men to forget their friends.

As a matter of fact a necessary evil is unnecessary.

Men are never criticised for what they do if they never do anything.

To err is human—and to blame it on the other fellow is still more so.

Even in the good old summer time one encounters a lot of cheap skates.

"Straitened circumstances" sounds better, but it's just as bad as being poor.

One-half the world knows what the other half is doing because they are neighbors.

Thanks to a shiftless husband many a woman has developed into an able financier.

The man who wants the earth is apt to get his share—if the mud throwers are on the job.

Every man ought to know at least as much about his own business as he does about the other fellow's.

And many a girl wastes her time trying to cultivate her vocal range when a cooking range would be more in her line.

Probably not one woman in a hundred is built after the model she would have selected had she been given the opportunity.

Every time a spinster looks at a man who has been led to the altar by a widow she says to herself: "How easily our poor men are fooled!"—Chicago News.

This winter the Alpine army of skiers will number close upon 100,000 men in Central Europe. The German and Austrian Federation of the Ski have insured their members, who now number 40,000, against accidents with a German firm at nominal rates. In Switzerland there are over 40,000 persons who employ the ski for sport and even work, while in France and Italy the sport is becoming more popular every winter and the two countries could now account for at least 20,000 devotees of the wooden shoes. This estimate does not include the number of soldiers on skis who in winter guard the mountain frontiers in Central Europe across the Alpine passes.

CASE AFTER CASE

Plenty More Like This in Bristol.

Scores of Bristol people can tell you about Doan's Kidney Pills. Many a happy citizen makes a public statement of his experience. Here is a case of it. What better proof of merit can be had than such endorsement?

Mrs. Philip Reed, 114 Buckley St., Bristol, Pa., says: "Several years ago I had occasion to take something that would relieve the misery, caused by weak kidneys. I was on my feet a good deal and that seemed to be the cause of my trouble. At times my back pained me so badly I could hardly stand up and my kidneys didn't act right. I felt run down and miserable in every way. Doan's Kidney Pills were highly recommended to me by a friend and I got a box at Erthal's Drug Store. I found relief as soon as I had taken a few doses and after taking several boxes I had no more trouble from my kidneys. I have enjoyed good health during the past four years."

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FAREWELL CHARLIE.

Charles M. Meredith, our quondam political playmate, editor and proprietor of the Central News, of Perkasie; High Sheriff of Bucks county, has sold his newspaper to Charles W. Baum, of Perkasie possession having been given last week.

We are extremely sorry to note the departure of Sheriff Meredith from the charmed circle of local newspaperdom, but perhaps it will not be for long, a rumor has it that the Fourth Estate will not lose his membership.

In his valedictory last week Editor Meredith, in his inimitable fashion says:

"The Central News was brought up on sweat and blood. Hon. Mahlon Sellers was its father and Moyer & Kramer its stepmother. We were its posse comnitatus. It has made its mark. It has some laurels over the fireplace. It has some scalps at its feet. It has plucked roses. And it has run over skunks until nothing was left but a squeak and a bad smell long since breezed away. But that is old-style journalism. Now, local 'journalism' is service. It is at its best when employing high-toned efficiency, including 'safety first' for the community which is its unit of the government and society.

We remember when we walked from Perkasie to Bucksville in a day stopping at every house soliciting. Back the next day by a different route, but still soliciting. Next week to Bedminster. Next day vice versa. And to Argus, Dublin and Hilltown. And success came. Not by premiums, nor commissions, nor beggary. But because it was a good paper. And it is better now. It is worth a dollar and a quarter a year. But sells for a dollar.

"How much did you sell for?" Private figures. Real estaters have so often answered us with "private figure" that it is with the most keen, wicked and unscrupulous joy that at last we have opportunity to reply in kind.

"What are you going to do?" Can't even guess. Maybe we'll buy a "lower end" paper, and run for a second term. And maybe not. Maybe we'll buy the Boyertown Democrat when Spatz goes to Congress. And maybe not! In the meantime we propose to do plain and fancy Sheriffing Work of all denominations. Three languages spoken—English, German and profane. Mail orders solicited. Try our jail: Hot and cold water steam heat, shower bath, sun parlor promenade and plaza. Having tried ours some will never use another. Table supplied from our own garden. Guests not allowed to disturb others' repose by running out at nights. Recommended for "that tired feeling." "Use the Bell."

Otherwise and afterward, anyone needing a good-as-new editor, triflingly damaged, send sealed bid to the undersigned.

Good-bye, boys! Good-bye, neighbors. Good-bye, constituency. Many, many thanks. And may you all live long and prosper. As you deserve.

CHARLES M. MEREDITH.
Ex-Editor.

Dr Brumbaugh, Philadelphia's schoolmaster, is being boomed for the Republican nomination for Governor. Dr. Brumbaugh has always borne a good reputation, but his proposed candidacy starts with a chilling blight. He has been effusively endorsed by such valiant souls as Senator Vare, of Philadelphia; Charlie Johnson, the machine leader of Montgomery county, and a host of political "down-and-outers" who would like to crawl back to positions of influence. The doctor is in bad company.

No other man, however great his ability, can be of such benefit in the Senate as Boies Penrose, especially when the Republican party again come into its own.—Doylestown Intelligencer.

Unquestionably the Senator would be, if he were elected, of great "benefit to the interests he has always so devotedly served, the Standard Oil Company, the railroad corporations, and the liquor and brewery interests. Penrose was of immeasurable "benefit" to the powers that prey when he was the master spirit at the Chicago convention when a nomination for President was stolen from the people. He tried to be of "benefit" to Lorimer, when that discredited representative was kicked out of the United States Senate.

Is Burgess a Figurehead?

Conshohocken Recorder.

Norristown's borough solicitor has given a lengthy opinion on the matter of the burgess assuming control and direction of the police while they are on duty. The opinion claims that the burgess has exceeded his authority and that he has not the control or direction of the police in their duties. The burgess, as has the burgess of this town, acted on authority of an Act passed by the last legislature.

For a number of years the office of burgess has been gradually stripped of its powers until in some boroughs the chief executive was not even provided with a seat at the meetings of town council, although the law makes him a part of the municipal corporation and part of his duty is to approve or reject resolutions and ordinances. The law holds him responsible for the peace and good order of the town and has denied him the power to maintain the peace and preserve good order.

The last legislature made an effort to correct this state of affairs by placing the control of the police under the direction of the burgess, as it should be, for if an officer must assume responsibility he should have the means of carrying out that responsibility and in the case of a burgess, it is police assistance.

There is no doubt that many lawyers will differ with the opinion given to Norristown council and in order to clear up the law Burgess Saul should maintain the stand he has taken and have the matter tested in the courts.

It is nonsense and against the intent of the law to suppose that the office of burgess is simply that of a committing magistrate. The law in making the municipal corporation "The Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of * * * is sufficient to show the importance of the office. The power of veto invested in the burgess is another example of importance and it is a ridiculous situation to hold an office responsible for the peace of a community and invest the power to preserve peace in the hands of other officials.

The Norristown situation is of interest to every borough in the State.

A Birthday Surprise.

A delightful birthday surprise party was tendered Mrs. Mary A. Shull at her home, 304 Jefferson avenue, Bristol on Sunday last, it being the occasion of her fifty-fifth anniversary. Friends from New York, East Orange, N. J., Philadelphia and Newark were present. The home was tastefully decorated with palms and beautiful cut flowers. Vocal and instrumental music with selections from an elocutionist from Philadelphia, were rendered. The guests were invited to the dining room at 4 p. m., where they enjoyed a bountiful repast of the delicacies of the season. The guests departed on the late trains wishing Mrs. Shull many happy returns of the day. Mrs. Shull was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

DOG TAX ASSESSED IN BUCKS COUNTY

Many School Districts Lose by Failure to Make Returns.

Deputy County Treasurer William F. Murphy has completed a table showing the different features of the dog tax collections in the county. It appears from the result that many school districts are losing snug sums because assessors have failed to assess all of the dogs and Justices of the Peace exonerated $107. Bristol's exonerations amounted to $17, Falls' to $11, New Hope's to $17.50, Bristol township's to $9. Bristol's exonerations amounted to about one-seventh of the whole amount. In Tullytown it was nearly as great. It is one-fourth in New Hope.

Bensalem, out of a duplicate of $127.50, only exonerated tax to the amount of $2. Ivyland, New Britain, Plumstead, Richland, Silverdale, Telford, Trumbauersville and Warrington had no exonerations.

The statement shows the total amount of dog tax to be $3457.50. The sheep claims total $104.50. Eleven dollars was paid for killing dogs.

Of the amount charged $3218.50 was collected. This, minus the expenses which brought the sum down to $2611.38, was paid back to the school districts where it was collected as follows:

Bristol	$102 28
Bristol township	68 52
Bedminster	69 74
Bensalem	101 42
Bridgeton	32 44
Buckingham	114 05
Chalfont	7 29
Doylestown	59 20
Doylestown township	62 34
Dublin	2 02
Durham	38 11
Falls	92 45
Haycock	47 23
Hilltown	108 07
Hulmeville	15 81
Ivyland	6 48
Langhorne	21 48
Langhorne Manor	6 80
Makefield—Lower	53 52
Makefield—Upper	63 66
Middletown	61 00
Milford	101 37
Morrisville	63 24
New Britain	71 37
New Hope	35 96
Newtown	25 54
Newtown township	31 66
Nockamixon	64 83
Northampton	66 54
Perkasie	36 90
Plumstead	92 57
Quakertown	42 17
Rockhill—East	62 85
Rockhill—West	55 55
Richland	69 34
Richlandtown	10 14
Sellersville	20 60
Silverdale	3 65
Solebury	115 16
Southampton	71 37
South Langhorne	8 92
Springfield	90 83
Telford	1 21
Tinicum	99 75
Trumbauersville	8 51
Tullytown	31 22
Warminster	36 90
Warrington	52 30
Warwick	42 57
Wrightstown	30 41
Yardley	21 49

ORGANIZE TO BOOST PENROSE

Acting promptly upon the announcement of Senator Penrose that he would be a candidate for re-election, a coterie of men prominently identified with the manufacturing and business interests of the State organized the Pennsylvania Protective Union in Philadelphia on Monday. This new organization, it was stated, will conduct the campaign for the Senator, in lieu of the usual political committee. Headquarters for this body have been ready for some time, with furniture and full office equipment, at Nos. 1305-06 Real Estate Trust Building, and all that was wanting for their opening was word from the Senator that he was ready to take his stand on the firing line.

Joseph R. Grundy and Clifford L. Anderson, of Bristol, are members of the Executive committee.

At the meeting James Dobson was elected president: Charlemagne Tower, Nathan T. Folwell, William M. Coates, John Pitcairn, Robert Dornan and J. H. Schwacke, vice presidents, and ex-Collector of the Port, Chester W. Hill, secretary.

The Executive committee will include George E. Bartol, Robert Crane, John P. Wood, W. B. Rosskam, W. Park Moore, H. H. Bosworth, Wilson H. Brown, Howard B French, Joseph Feldenheimer, Walter Rossmassler, Theodore F. Miller, Alfred E. Burke, Charles J. Webb, M. S. Masland, Joseph H. Bromley, Louis H. Ayres, Thomas J. Jeffries, Joseph R. Grundy, Charles E. Carpenter, Theodore Justice, David Kirshbaum, Richard Campion, Roy Hatfield, Everett Brown and C. L. Anderson.

The objects of the association are ostensibly stated as "conservation and preservation of farm, mine, forest, factory, forge and mill in Pennsylvania. "Resolutions adopted by the meeting smack of the Taft campaign of 1912, and without making mention of Penrose, declare:

We commit ourselves to sane and safe legislation and to the principle of protection for all American industries, insisting upon such rates of duty on foreign articles as will retain for the American people control of the American market, to the end that foreign goods made by labor whose wages are from one-half to one-third our wages shall not displace home products and cripple the earning power of the American wage-earner.

Sermon on Kindness to Animals.

A sermon of particular interest to humanitarians will be preached on Sunday evening at seven forty-five in the Langhorne Presbyterian church by Rev. Benjamin Paist, who is well known for the strength and interesting appeal of his sermons. Mr. Paist has chosen for his topic "Kindness to Animals."

This sermon will be the second preached in the interest of animal welfare, and marks the beginning of a series which the Bucks County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is endeavoring to have preached by the pastors of various churches throughout the county. The first sermon on kindness to animals was preached by the Rev. Azael Coates, rector of the Langhorne Episcopal church, Langhorne.

Many members of the society, as well as others interested in the movement which is on foot to relieve animal suffering throughout the county, have signified their intention of being present.

W. W. Roper, Esq., Speaks at Newtown.

The men's meeting under the auspices of the Men's Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church of Newtown, last Sunday was largely attended, nearly eighty men being present to hear an excellent address by William W. Roper, Esq., of Philadelphia, who spoke upon "Faith." Vocal selections were given by Dr. J. A. Strathie, accompanied by Garden M. Cobb on the piano. The orchestra was augmented by Charles Afflerbach, of Hulmeville, with his flute.

The meeting was in charge of Rev. W. C. Embardt, rector of St. Luke's church.

It is expected next Sunday to have as the speaker the Hon. John M. Patterson, Judge of the Common Pleas Court of Philadelphia. Judge Patterson is an eloquent and forceful speaker. Vocal selections will be given by a male quartette consisting of Messrs. Gardner M. Cobb, Frank J. Sutton, LeRoy Suber and Dr. J. A. Strathie.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend many thanks to all the kind friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted me in any way in my recent bereavement of the death of my husband.

MRS. JOHN KEEN.

REVIEW OF EVENTS AT COUNTY SEAT

Interesting Correspondence from Our Doylestown Representative.

Doylestown, March 1.

Slowly recovering from the effects of the blizzard which, in a measure, seems to have repeated itself, the county seat is endeavoring to provide adequate accommodations for the March term of Criminal court now in full swing. With the exception of the Plewka murder case all of the cases are trivial and will not take up much of the time of the court and jury. There are but thirty-eight cases on the list and with the nuisance cases continued against the Danboro and Plumsteadville Turnpike Companies, the Reading Railway and the Lehigh Valley Transit Company and with a number of cases being disposed of by pleas of guilty the list dwindles down materially and leaves a short week's work, barring the murder cases. Jurymen and witnesses had a hard time getting here and many are going to stay over rather than take the chance of getting back in time in the morning so that there will be more court people here over night than there has been for years. All of the steam roads and trolleys are running on a fairly accurate schedule but everyone recognizes the fact that it will take but little to put them out of commission.

Running the water from the roof over the sidewalk has long been a public nuisance at the county seat and one which the moguls of town council promise every year to have abated as soon as spring opens and with equal promptness forget all about it when spring does open and things grow worse every year. If it was at all an expensive matter to the property owner it might be different but it is so inexpensive a proposition that it seems funny it is not taken up, but then at one place on Oakland avenue, within a few hundred feet of the Main street there is no gutter because council cannot decide which way they want the water to run and in the meantime it fills the cellars of the unfortunate taxpayers who will be satisfied to have it run any old way just so they get a gutter and are able to keep the water where it belongs instead of on the sidewalk.

Our school board seems to be having considerable trouble with their new building for which they have practically paid. Director Louis Buckman, who was in the business long enough to know, has condemned the floor in one room as being of nearly worthless material and has criticized the setting of the window sash alleging that the faulty setting is the cause of the cold rooms. These items together with many others that are reported at every meeting by the chairman of the building committee would seem to indicate that our school board got stung by the contractor. For some reason a strenuous effort is being made to get the parents and other grown ups to take a larger interest in the schools although the board has every confidence in their staff of teachers and do not think they need special supervision.

Sleighing parties have been much in vogue during the past week, many have made the county seat their objective point while just as many have left the county seat for points not too far distant for among the many pleasures attendant on the sleigh ride an upset or two is deemed necessary to their full enjoyment and it goes without saying that many of the upsets were of the kind that were done accidentally on purpose so that no one was hurt nor anything broken.

Several county seat storekeepers have decided on an innovation and have notices posted on their store doors, "Please leave all dogs outside." This action has naturally caused quite a great deal of discussion and has resulted in some loss of trade without any gain and now the storekeepers are in a quandary and are seriously considering the removal of the notices; one reason for which is that the ladies owning dogs say that they are perfectly willing to leave their canine friends outside if politely requested to do so thereby dissatisfying the objectors.

Among those who are enjoying the present spell of weather and who are giving to their friends their reminiscences of years ago when he had real winter from just after Thanksgiving on along until the middle of March, is ex-Prothonotary John B. Bitting, who admits the ripe age of eighty-eight years, but who does not look it or seem to feel it for he is as active as a man thirty years younger.

Henry A. James, Esq.'s tunnel over the pavement in front of his residence is now a matter of history; during the blizzard his friends and neighbors walked through a snow tunnel about thirty feet long with an average of about fifteen feet of snow over their heads counting from the pavement up but the warm sun of the last few days made the tunnel rather a risky proposition and the top had to be taken off. It is estimated that the wind at that point has a clear sweep of about a mile and that about all of the snow from the fields is deposited upon Mr. James' pavement which makes him a nice little snow shoveling proposition.

Graft is alleged in an anonymous communication recently received by the county commissioners, in connection with the opening of a certain road, but as anonymous communications receive but little consideration no action has been taken, but it probably had the effect of putting the commissioners on their guard and if there should happen to be any grafters about they will be sadder and sorrier men after the present board gets after them.

Much complaint has been made of the treatment of snowbound passengers by the Rapid Transit Company and if the parties aggrieved would make their complaint to the Public Service Commission there would doubtless be an investigation that would result in the blame being put where it justly belongs and if the Rapid Transit is to blame the quicker they are brought to book the better for corporations now are in a position where they are bound to concede the public some rights. The principal complaint comes from the treatment of Doylestown passengers at the Willow Grove waiting room and is one that should be investigated.

Australia is irrigating more than 2,000,000 acres of grazing lands with artesian wells.

STRENGTH FOR OLD PEOPLE

A Simple Remedy Which Favors Longevity.

You act as though you just wondered how you are going to get through this trying season and do your work.

You may be overworked or have had a bad cold which has left you without strength, ambition or much interest in life; in fact you are all run-down.

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A prominent Boston lawyer says: "My mother, who is 76 years of age, owes her good health to Vinol as since taking it she can walk farther and do more than she has for years. I consider it a wonderful blood making and strength creating tonic."

We have such faith in Vinol that if it does not quickly build you up, restore your strength and make you feel well again, we will return your money. Try Vinol on our guarantee.

P. S. If you have Eczema try our Saxo Salve. We guarantee it.

Emlen Martin, Druggist, Bristol, Pa

LANGHORNE CLUB'S ANNUAL ELECTION

Chairmen of Various Committees Submit Interesting Reports.

At the annual meeting of the members of the Langhorne Sorosis on Thursday, the following were elected:

President, Mrs. Warren Edward Tryon.

First vice president, Mrs. Ezekiel L. Pryor.

Second vice president, Miss Anna R. Paxson.

Recording secretary, Miss Anna M. Lukens.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harry P. Rothernel.

Treasurer, Mrs. Edward D. Osferhout.

Directors: Mrs. Henry Lovett, Mrs. Harry Stewart, Mrs. Alfred Marshall.

Programme committee: Mrs. John Pickering, Miss Agnes Sellers, Mrs. Frank G. Rowe, Miss Anna R. Paxson.

A report of the meeting at Doylestown for the federation of the county clubs was reported by Mrs. Ezekiel L. Pryor, the Sorosis joining the federation. Mrs. Warren E. Tryon and Mrs. Joseph Esherick attended the meeting for organization held at Doylestown. The report of the auditors, Mrs. William H. Ivins and Mrs. Edward B. Morgan, was accepted. The resignation of Mrs. Mary Aldred was received with regret. Mrs. J. Dawson Paul was elected an active member.

It was announced that our next meeting would be in charge of the Art department, March 19th, and will be Guest Day and will be a partial review of the Art clubs work during the winter. Mrs. Charles H. Wardwell, chairman of the Art department will give a synopsis of the work and lantern slides will be used to portray some of the most noted pictures. Mrs. Joseph B. Heritage will repeat her paper on "Leonardi da Vinci and his follower, Luini," and Mrs. Edward B. Morgan her paper on "Michel Angelo's Works in Painting."

It was concluded to hold our meetings the first and third Thursdays in the month, thereby skipping Thanksgiving week and bringing the date more satisfactory for Christmas week.

The afternoon programme included current interests. Mrs. Sara E. Allen read an interesting aerticle on "Prison Labor Reform" citing the instance of the leader of the movement who voluntarily became prisoner number 3333X at the Auburn prison to get in touch with the prisoners and solve their needs, even undergoing the punishment penalty of being chained to the floor in a dark cell with scant food and only three gills of water in twenty four hours.

Miss Esther B. Justice reported from her department concerning the "Sale of Intoxicants" giving the outlook throughout the State, citing in Lacawanna county the brewery interests are fighting the Anti Saloon League and in Coatesville, which has been dry for nine months there is an increase in the bank savings of $2,000,000. In West Grove, February 5th, four members were expelled from the church for signing the license in contradiction of the general sentiment of the church. Langhorne borough has inaugurated a No-License campaign, a meeting being held Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. Joseph B. Heritage.

Mrs. Frank G. Rowe reported from "The Work of the Bureau of Occupations of Trained Women" giving interesting data concerning this most excellent work that is of such great assistance to the employers and fills the gap between employers and a source of supplies. The movement is National which adds to its effectiveness, New York appealing to Philadelphia or elsewhere where position offers and no applications, etc., and there is constant communication between bureaus. The bureaus are assisted by contributions and by contributions of clubs.

For those wishing employment a deposit of one dollar is required and if no position is secured the fee is returned. If a permanent position is secured six per cent. of the first year's salary is demanded and three per cent. for temporary position.

Valuable 84-Acre Farm Sold.

Mrs. William F. Morgan and Mrs. Charles E. Morgan have sold their 84-acre homestead on the Red Lion road, near Torresdale, to Frank H. Wood, of Byberry, Philadelphia, the price is withheld. Immediate possession. The property has been held for $40,000. Arthur P. Townsend, real estate broker, of Langhorne, consummated the sale. The property adjoins the estate of Hon. Edward DeV. Morrell on the north and extends to Academy road.

Embroidery Class Entertained at Hulmeville.

Mrs. Jesse C. Everitt entertained on Tuesday the members of Mrs. Wright's embroidery class, of Bristol, of which she is a member. Every member of the class was present and a very enjoyable time was realized. Those present were: Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Smoyer, Mrs. C. H. Bunting, Mrs. Ellias, Mrs. William Betz, Mrs. Jesse Betz, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Jeffries, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Downing. At 5.30 supper was served by the hostess, and at 7.15 the class returned home.

LOCAL NEWS.

Alterations are being made to the Moffa property, 303 Penn street, extending it tot he front building line, and erecting a large store.

Miss Nellie Downing, of Cedar street, left on Monday for St. Petersburgh, Fla., where she will spend the remainder of the winter with her aunt, Mrs. Louderbough.

Harry Wentzel Birkey and Miss Ida Dunlap Douglass, of South Langhorne, were married at the M. E. parsonage by the Rev. George M. Brodhead on Wednesday afternoon.

A free lecture will be given on next Sunday in Mechanics' hall, at 3 p. m., when Dr. S. N. Wiley, of Norristown, will speak on "Christ's Second Coming." Seats free. No collection.

On Tuesday evening next, March 17th, Dr. Creditt, principal of Downingtown Industrial school, with his famous quartette, will give an entertainment in the First Baptist church of Bristol.

Charles, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Wilson, of Cedar street, had a narrow escape from drowning on Wednesday. While coasting on Mulberry street hill his sled ran over the bank. But for the assistance of Luther Bedell, who happened near the accident would have been a fatal one.

The "Get Together," meeting of the Federation of Patriotic Societies, of Bristol, held on Friday evening, in Pythian hall, was a great success, there being a large attendance and much merriment. Three vaudeville acts by Philadelphia talent were given. The local talent was: Miss Sue McIlvaine, vocal solo; Phipps and Sims, comedy sketch; Leon Sleifer, baritone solo.

At the close of the prayer service on Wednesday evening in the M. E. church the following were elected as delegates and alternates to the Laymen's Association of the Philadelphia Conference, which will be held in Pottstown next week: Delegates—Mr. and Mrs. C. Wesley Milnor, Mrs. E. W. Minster, Mrs. Charles Holsneck, Mrs. Harry Arnold, Mrs. Jennie Worthington. Alternates—Miss Flora Cook, Mrs. Howard Case, Mrs. Rilla Hunter, Miss Bertha Smoyer and Mrs. H. V. Trelease.

To live sixty years without being on a railroad train and on the first ride to be in a wreck was the experience of Monroe Ray, a farmer, of Sulphur Rock, Arkansas, who filed suit against the Iron Mountina Railroad for $20,000 damages last month. Rather than ride on a train again, Ray rode to Batesvillle on a horse, a distance of eighteen miles.

Weekly Church Notices.

METHODIST

Rev. George M. Brodhead, Pastor.
Brotherhood meeting, 9.30 a. m., led by William H. Wilkinson.
Class Meeting, 9.45.
Morning service, 10.30.
Sunday school, 2.15.
Epworth League, 6.15.
Evening service, 7.45.

CHRIST CHURCH, EDDINGTON

Holy communion, 7.30 a. m.
Sunday school, 10.00 a. m.
Morning service and sermon, 10.45.
Saints' Days, holy communion, 7.30 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. Chas. E. Burns, D D., Pastor.
Preaching, 10 30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Sunday School, 2.30 p. m
Christian Endeavor, 6.45
Ladies' Union, Monday evening.
Tuesday evening, Christian Endeavor Social.
Prayer meeting and Bible study, Wednesday evening.
Junior Endeavor, Wednesday, 4 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST.

Rev. W. T. Johnson, pastor.
Sunday, 10.30 a. m. morning service. Preaching by pastor.
2 p. m., Sunday school. Everybody invited.
Men's Meeting at 3.45 o'clock. To be addressed by Prof Milton G. Evans, of Crozier Theological Seminary. Andrew MacArthur will sing.
6.45 p. m., Young People's meeting.
7.45 p. m., Prof. Evans will deliver an address.

ST. JAMES THE GREATER

Rev. J. A. Carr, rector.
Third Sunday in Lent.
Holy Eucharist, 7.30 a. m.
Morning Prayer, 10 30
Evening Prayer, 7.45.
Monday, Morning Prayer, 7.15 a. m Holy Eucharist, 7.30 a. m.
Thursday, service and and sermon at 7.45 p.m.
Friday, Holy Eucharist, 8 a. m.
Saturday, Evening Prayer, 4 p. m.

BETHEL A. M. E.

Rev. J. A. Browne, pastor.
10 30 a. m., preaching
2.30 p. m., Sunday school.
7.30 p. m., Allen League.
8 p. m., evening service and sermon. All welcome. Short services.
Mrs. Mary E. Young will entertain the Sewing Circle tonight at her home on Wood street.

ST. PAULS EPISCOPAL.

Rev. Seaver M. Holden, pastor.
10.30 a. m., morning service and sermon.
2.30 p. m., Sunday school.
7.30 o'clock, evening service and sermon.
Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, Rev. Francis Smith of Fallsington, will preach.

ST. ANNS CHURCH.

Sunday, 8 a. m., low mass.
10.30 a. m., high mass and sermon.
2 p. m., Sunday school.
7.30 p. m., rosary and benediction of Blessed Sacrament.
Daily—8 a. m., mass.

Pointed Paragraphs.

A submarine cable, planted, costs about a thousand dollars per mile.

Ammonia bombs are being experimented with for extinguishing forest fires.

In the Commonwealth of Australia there are 90,000 receiving old age and invalid pensions.

The Argentine Government is considering the importation of camels for various agriculture duties.

The quebracho of South America is said to be the hardest of all woods to work. The name means "taxbreaker."

The word milliner is a "corruption of Milaner, from Milan, the city which once established the hat styles for the world.

Many Greenland women are bald on the sides of the head, owing to their method of dressing the hair, which is pulled back tightly and held in place by a ribbon.

READ THIS AD. EACH WEEK

And God Said "Let Us Make Man After Our Image"

Can you see the image of God in the drunken form reeling, cursing down the street, or in the sodden wreck that crouches in miserable stupidity on your door step?

Yet once he was a man

with bright eyes, bright prospects—the bright hope of a fond mother and father. Don't laugh at him, it's too serious a matter. He deserves your pity. May God pity the man who, for a few dollars, would wreck and ruin so noble a work.

And he still gets drink

and will as long as he has money. Somebody is violating the law. Do you know who is doing it? It is your duty to stop it.

Our Remonstrance Committee

S. B. Denlinger, Doylestown, Chairman, will tell you how to do it.

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At Bristol, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 4th, 1914.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	$801,721.75
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	40,000.00
Other bonds to secure Postal Savings	7,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	550,282.00
Banking house, furniture & fixtures (nominal)	5,000.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	3,149.72
Due from approved reserve agents	101,151.71
Checks and other cash items	662.47
Notes of other National Banks	2,020.00
Nickels and cents	877.68
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK VIZ	
Specie $84,080.00	
Legal tender notes 12,940.00	97,020.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	2,000.00
Total	$1,611,735.18
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$92,220.00
Surplus fund	270,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	38,876.90
National Bank notes outstanding	34,510.00
Due to other National Banks	11,750.94
Dividends unpaid	319.20
Individual deposits subject to check	1,162,131.21
Postal Savings Deposits	1,898.53
Total	$1,611,735.18

State of Penna., County of Bucks, ss:
I, Charles E. Scott, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CHARLES E. SCOTT, Cashier.
Subscribed and affirmed to before me this 9th day of March, 1914
WILLIAM H. BOOZ, Notary Public.

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Pkg Toasto Corn Flakes	10c
2 pkgs Golden Egg Noodles	a pkg 5c
Pkg Ivory Starch	10c
2 pkgs Premium Table Salt	a pkg 5c
Pkg Bellgrade Macaroni	12c
Bottle Mason's Shoe Dressing	10c
2 cans Cleanser	a can 5c

25 Extra Crown Stamps with the following:

Bottle Clawson's Vanilla	25c
Lb. can Premium Baking Powder	20c
Can Pure Olive Oil	23c
Bottle Pure Grape Juice	25c
Bottle Snider's Catsup	23c
Can Cal. Apricots	25c
30 Stamps with lb. can Bellgrade Coffee	35c

Stamps		Item	Price
25	Extra Crown Stamps with each lb	Banquet Coffee	30c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each lb	Mother's Coffee	25c
20	Extra Crown Stamps with each 1-4 lb pkg	Bellgrade Tea	15c
15	Extra Crown Stamps with each 1-4 lb pkg	Mother's Blend Tea	12c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each 1-4 lb pkg	Rosebud Tea	9c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each pkg	Bellgrade Rolled Oats	10c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each can	Imp. Sardines	10, 15, 20c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each	Brick Pure Codfish	13c
15	Extra Crown Stamps with each	Fancy Norway Mackerel	15c
10	Extra Crown Stamp with each	Norway Mackerel	10, 13c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each lb	Bellgrade Rice	10c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each can	Bellgrade Baked Beans	10c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each lb	Dried Lima Beans	9c
5	Extra Crown Stamps with 3 boxes	Bellgrade Matches	3 for 10c
5	Extra Crown Stamps with 3 rolls	White Toilet Paper	10c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each lb	California Prunes	13, 15c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each bottle	Cider or White Vinegar	10c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each bottle	Salad Dressing	10c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each can	Mixed Vegetables	10c
15	Extra Crown Stamps with each can	Tioga Peaches	20c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each pound	Old Rich Cheese	24c
10	Extra Crown Stamps with each can	Fancy Pork and Beans	12c

Legs Mutton	15c lb
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Rib Mutton Chops	16c lb
Rack Chops	14c lb
Shoulders Mutton	12c lb
Stewing Mutton	6c lb
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Arrival and Departure of Mails

AT THE BRISTOL POSTOFFICE.

PHILADELPHIA AND THE WEST.
Arrive—7.30 a.m. 12.15, 4.10, 6.05 and 7.40 p.m. Depart—5.45, 7.30, 9.5 and 11.30 a. m., 1.30, 3.15, 5.10 and 6.30 p. m.

NEW YORK AND THE EAST.
Arrive—7.30, 8.30 a. m., 2.30 and 7.40 p. m. Depart—6.30, 8.25 and 11.30 a. m., 5.10 and 6.30 p. m.

BELVIDERE DIVISION.
Arrive—7.30 and 9.30 a. m., 4.10 and 7.40 p. m. Depart—6.30 and 11.30 a. m., 1.30, 3.15, and 6.30 p. m.

EMILIE, OXFORD AND WOODBOURNE
Arrive—7.30 and 9.55 a. m.
Depart—12.30, 3.15, 6.15 and 6.30 p. m.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Max Cohen has received a new de... livery wagon for his tobacco business.

Miss Mabel Sharp, of Parksburg, Pa., was an over Sunday guest o... Miss May Stradling.

Next Sunday will be the last Sun... day of the present conference year i... the Methodist churches.

Dallas Johnston had as an eve... Sunday guest an old school friend Mr. Springer, of Chester.

James P. Shivler has discontinue... his course at Williamson School, be... cause of chronic stomach disorders

Mrs. Frank Chambers is spendin... the week with her parents Mr. an... Mrs. A. B. Wilson, of Newportville

The Travel Club will meet this a... fternoon at the home of Miss Bag... instead of at the residence of Mr... Gillmor.

Miss Mazie Sweeney, of Race stre... while going out of the front gate... her home, fell on the ice and i... jured her hip severely.

Mrs. Edward Christ, of Palmyr... N. J., and Mrs. George Hauler, ... Germantown, spent a part of t... week with Miss Ethel Phipps, ... Bath street.

Harland Howell has purchased fro... Thomas Rodgers and Thomas Slat... the restaurant in the basement of t... building at the corner of Radclif... and Mill streets

The lecture on "Dixie before t... War" by Dr. C. A. Lamar, ... Georgia, in the Baptist church la... Monday evening was well attend... and greatly enjoyed

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison V. Stov... have returned to their home in Ph... adelphia, after spending a fortnig... with Mrs. Stover's parents, Mr. a... Mrs. Herbert Crowther

There will be an open sweepsta... blue rock shoot on the grounds of t... Bristol Shooting-Association ne... Croydon tomorrow afternoon, ... which all shooters are invited.

A letter has been received fr... Congressman Morrison, who spo... here on Sunday, March 1st, and w... held by the blizzard until Tuesda... saying he reached Washington safe

Word received by Bristol frie... from Mrs. John Dorrance announ... her safe arrival in Bermuda after ... worst trip on record. Mrs. Dorra... states that she was terribly sick ... three days.

At a meeting of the trustees of ... Methodist Episcopal church held ... Tuesday evening in the church p... lor, B. Frank Conner was elected ... fill the unexpired term of Clar... Hyrons, who has removed to Ne... town.

Walter McNally, agent at ... steamboat wharf, and his assista... Maurice McIlvaine and Vance R... have painted and lettered a large s... for the Island Park, which will ... placed on the end of the pier at ... Island.

The Ladies' Missionary Circ... the First Baptist church will ho... pepper-pot sale next Wednes... morning. The pepper-pot will b... sale at 11 o'clock by the quart... plate. Orders will be delivered. ... the parsonage - 18a.

Miss Mabel Sharp, of Parksb... Pa; Mr. Springer, of Chester, ... and Mr. and Mrs Theodore Lip... cott, of Cornwells, were entertaine... dinner with United States Sen... Moses E. Clapp, of Minnesota, ... Sunday at the First Baptist par... age.

Miss Kathleen A. Wilson, form... of Bristol, has returned to her h... in Newportville, after having c... pleted a three years' course of tra... nursing at the Pennsylvania hosp... Philadelphia. After a month's v... tion Miss Wilson will return to P... adelphia

Dennis Magee and family, of W... ington street, had a great surpris... Tuesday morning, when his bro... Hugh, and son, Daniel, called at... Washington street home. The vis... live in Rock Island, Ill., and th... brothers had not met for thirty-... years.

Letters remaining uncalled fo... Bristol postoffice for week en... March 12: John Dean Edw... don, Mrs. Chas. Libner, Mr... Spence, Frank Woodington, ... ciszk Wyborski, No. 561; Tenyr... Tabuy, No. 731; Gregory Bo... No. 573.

A new waiting room is being ... on the platform at the Pennsylv... railroad station for the use of ... sengers waiting for east bound t... This will be greatly appreciate... the patrons of the road, as the ... sheds afford no protection from ... severe winter weather.

A St. Patrick Tea will be giv... the First Baptist church tom... evening from 5 to 8 o'clock und... auspices of the King's Daug... Tickets, 20 cents. The follo... menu will be served: Codfish ... rolls, ham, coffee, cold slaw, pi... cheese, canned fruit and cake.

On Wednesday next a meeti... the Women's Missionary Circ... be held in the First Baptist c... at 3.30 p. m., when a business ... will be held. Tea will be serv... 5.30. In the evening at 7.45 ... meeting will be held at which ... interesting missionary address ... given.

Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Johnst... tended a banquet of the Men's ... of the Third Baptist church, ... and Ritner streets, Philadelphi... Wednesday evening, when Mr. ... ston was one of the speaker... Thursday Mr. Johnston went to ... ington in the interest of the ... meeting.

The new Hardman piano f... high school was received on W... day, and yesterday morning ... the pupils and others gave ... Every one expressed satis... with the instrument, and cong... ted the teachers, who acted as ... chasing committee, on their ex... judgment.

A. Ruben & Company, ... dealers of Boston, Mass., mad... annual trip to Bristol this wee... stopped at the reliable antiqu... of J. H. Vanzant, where the... chased a number of articles. ... them were an ancient shell ... bedstead and an English ... drawers.

Joshua Townsend, the Mil... restaurant man, has installed ... plete set of up-to-date machin... the manufacture of ice cream ... contracted for the entire ou... cream from a nearby dair... Townsend proposes to serve h... tomers with the finest ice cre... can be made and is consider... plan of opening a fine summe... on the lot at the rear of his ... ant.

Deeming their headquart... small and not very convenie... cated, the members of Good W... Company, No. 3, are hustli... to raise funds to build a new ... to date fire house. The ... working zealously and hav... that returns be made not la... Saturday, March 28th. The ... ing committee has it in hand ... H. Flum, Charles McGinley, ... Sackville, Richard Welsh, ... Sackville, Grover Yeagle an... B. Keating.

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The Bucks County Gazette

Arrival and Departure of Mails

AT THE BRISTOL POSTOFFICE.

PHILADELPHIA AND THE WEST
Arrive—7.30 a.m., 12.15, 1.10, 6.05 and 7.40 p. m.
Depart—5.45, 7.30, 9.55 and 11.20 a. m., 1.30, 3.10 and 6.30 p. m.

NEW YORK AND THE EAST.
Arrive—7.30, 8.20 a. m., 2.30 and 7.40 p. m.
Depart—6.30, 8.25 and 11.20 a. m., 5.15 and 6.30 p. m.

BELVIDERE DIVISION.
Arrive—7.30 and 9.30 a. m., 4.10 and 7.40 p. m.
Depart—6.30 and 11.20 a. m., 1.30, 3.15, and 6.30 p. m.

EMILIE, OXFORD AND WOODBOURNE
Arrive—7.30 and 9.55 a. m.
Depart—12.30, 3.15, 6.15 and 6.30 p. m.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Max Cohen has received a new delivery wagon for his tobacco business.

Miss Mabel Sharp, of Parksburg, Pa., was an over Sunday guest of Miss May Stradling.

Next Sunday will be the last Sunday of the present conference year in the Methodist churches.

Dallas Johnston had as an over Sunday guest an old school friend, Mr. Springer, of Chester.

James P. Shivler has discontinued his course at Williamson School, because of chronic stomach disorders.

Mrs. Frank Chambers is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilson, of Newportville.

The Travel Club will meet this afternoon at the home of Miss Baggs instead of at the residence of Mrs. Gillmor.

Miss Mazie Sweeney, of Race street, while going out of the front gate at her home, fell on the ice and injured her hip severely.

Mrs. Edward Christ, of Palmyra, N. J., and Mrs. George Hauler, of Germantown, spent a part of the week with Miss Ethel Phipps, of Bath street.

Harland Howell has purchased from Thomas Rodgers and Thomas Slater the restaurant in the basement of the building at the corner of Radcliffe and Mill streets.

The lecture on "Dixie before the War," by Dr. C. A. Lamar, of Georgia, in the Baptist church last Monday evening was well attended and greatly enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Y. Stover have returned to their home in Philadelphia, after spending a fortnight with Mrs. Stover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Crowther.

There will be an open sweepstake blue rock shoot on the grounds of the Bristol Shooting Association near Croydon tomorrow afternoon, to which all shooters are invited.

A letter has been received from Congressman Morrison, who spoke here on Sunday, March 1st, and was held by the blizzard until Tuesday, saying he reached Washington safely.

Word received by Bristol friends from Mrs. John Dorrance announces her safe arrival in Bermuda after the worst trip on record. Mrs. Dorrance states that she was terribly sick for three days.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church held on Tuesday evening in the church parlor, B. Frank Conner was elected to fill the unexpired term of Clarence Hyroms, who has removed to Newtown.

Walter McNally, agent at the steamboat wharf, and his assistants, Maurice McIlvaine and Vance Betz, have painted and lettered a large sign for the Island Park, which will be placed on the end of the pier at the island.

The Ladies' Missionary Circle of the First Baptist church will hold a pepper-pot sale next Wednesday morning. The pepper-pot will be on sale at 11 o'clock by the quart or plate. Orders will be delivered. Call the parsonage—186a.

Miss Mabel Sharp, of Parksburg, Pa.; Mr. Springer, of Chester, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lippincott, of Cornwells, were entertained at dinner with United States Senator Moses E. Clapp, of Minnesota, on Sunday at the First Baptist parsonage.

Miss Kathleen A. Wilson, formerly of Bristol, has returned to her home in Newportville, after having completed a three years' course of trained nursing at the Pennsylvania hospital, Philadelphia. After a month's vacation Miss Wilson will return to Philadelphia.

Dennis Magee and family, of Washington street, had a great surprise on Tuesday morning, when his brother, Hugh, and son, Daniel, called at the Washington street home. The visitors live in Rock Island, Ill., and the two brothers had not met for thirty-eight years.

Letters remaining uncalled for in Bristol postoffice for week ending March 12: John Dean, Edw. Haydon, Mrs. Chas. Libner, Mrs. J. Spence, Frank Woodington, Franciszk Wyborski, No. 561; Tonyruner Tabuy, No. 731; Gregory Bogush, No. 573.

A new waiting room is being built on the platform at the Pennsylvania railroad station for the use of passengers waiting for east bound trains. This will be greatly appreciated by the patrons of the road, as the open sheds afford no protection from the severe winter weather.

A St. Patrick Tea will be given in the First Baptist church tomorrow evening from 5 to 8 o'clock under the auspices of the King's Daughters. Tickets, 20 cents. The following menu will be served: Codfish cakes, rolls, ham, coffee, cold slaw, pickles, cheese, canned fruit and cake.

On Wednesday next a meeting of the Women's Missionary Circle will be held in the First Baptist church, at 3.30 p. m., when a business session will be held. Tea will be served at 5.30. In the evening at 7.45 a mass meeting will be held at which a very interesting missionary address will be given.

Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Johnston attended a banquet of the Men's League of the Third Baptist church, Broad and Ritner streets, Philadelphia, on Wednesday evening, when Mr. Johnston was one of the speakers. On Thursday Mr. Johnston went to Washington in the interest of the men's meeting.

The new Hardman piano for the high school was received on Wednesday, and yesterday morning some of the pupils and others gave a musicale. Every one expressed satisfaction with the instrument, and congratulated the teachers, who acted as a purchasing committee, on their excellent judgment.

A. Ruben & Company antique dealers of Boston, Mass., made their annual trip to Bristol this week, and stopped at the reliable antique shop of J. H. Vanzant, where they purchased a number of articles. Among them were an ancient shell carved bedstead and an English case of drawers.

Joshua Townsend, the Mill street restaurant man, has installed a complete set of up-to-date machinery for the manufacture of ice cream and has contracted for the entire output of cream from a nearby dairy. Mr. Townsend proposes to serve his customers with the finest ice cream that can be made and is considering the plan of opening a fine summer garden on the lot at the rear of his restaurant.

Deeming their headquarters too small and not very conveniently located, the members of Good Will Fire Company, No. 3, are hustling now to raise funds to build a new and up-to-date fire house. The boys are working zealously and have asked that returns be made no later than Saturday, March 28th. The following committee has it in hand: Frank H. Flum, Charles McGinley, John Sackville, Richard Welsh, William Sackville, Grover Yeagle and Joseph B. Keating.

AUTO APPARATUS FOR NO 5 COMPANY

Council Recommends Purchase of $5000 Combination Chemical Car—Funds Transferred From Water Department.

The regular monthly meeting of Bristol Borough Council was held in the council chamber on Monday evening last, President Josiah M. Owens, presiding. At roll call the following absentees were noted: Messrs. Strauss, Rathse and Fallon.

Previous to the opening of council Dennis J. Mulligan was sworn in as a member from the Fourth ward by Burgess Thomas Scott.

The Police committee reported twenty-five arrests during the month of February: Three for burglary; two for larceny; one for rape; one for assault and battery; two for non-support; one for nuisance; one for surety of the peace; one for malicious mischief; two for fornication; one for vagrancy; four for disorderly conduct; four for drunkenness. Three street lights are out and two incandescent, were reported out and two hundred and ninety-five tramps lodged at the station house.

DAMAGE TO FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

The Fire committee, as its report, offered the following letter from the chief of the fire alarm system:

Fire Committee of Bristol Borough.

Gentlemen:—The storm of March 1st and 2nd broke down the lines on Buckley street, Pond street and Canal street. Also on Beaver and burned out the indicator and gong in No. 2 fire house. Also burned out magnets in tower striker. I have ordered magnets from Gamewell & Company to replace same and will place them as soon as I receive them. We saved the other machines by cutting them all out. We had the system working Thursday noon, that is, with the exception of the No. 2 house and tower. I have placed a six inch joker in No. 2 house so that they can count a box, if an alarm comes in. The line will be gone over again and the three broken extensions on Buckley and Beaver streets replaced with new ones, and the three straight extensions on Canal and Pond streets must be replaced. I will do this as soon as I can. The ice on the wires was from one inch to one and one-half inches thick, the heaviest we have ever had in the fourteen years the system has been in use. In this storm no trees broke on the fire alarm or electric light wires, the turn out was caused by the high winds wrapping a telephone wire over the fire alarm wire and crossing up with the electric light wire on Pond street. On February 13th I had to take No. 4 indicator out, repair and clean same.

FRANK T. CHAMBERS,
Supt. Fire Alarm.

The report was received and filed.

ORDINANCE GOES OVER.

On motion of Mr. Grundy by advice of the borough solicitor the ordinance governing plumbing, drainage, ventilation etc., which passed first reading at the meeting of council on February 9th, was laid over until the next meeting.

RESOLUTIONS ENDORSE COUNCIL'S ACTION.

Resolutions were received and filed from Fidelity Council, No. 22 F. P. A., Washington Camp No. 789 P. O. S. of A., J. S. Brady Commandery, F. P. A. and Federation of Patriotic societies of Bristol, commending the borough council in its action taken on the ordinance passed February 9th prohibiting the playing of music on the streets and parks of Bristol on Sunday.

FIRE COMPANY TO OPERATE CAROUSSEL.

A communication was received from Bristol Fire Company No. 1 asking permission to operate a caroussel within the borough limits. On motion the permission was granted with the proviso that it be operated at the usual place on the lot at Pond and Mulberry streets.

TRANSFER WATER FUNDS.

Mr. Williams offered the following resolution which was unanimously adopted:—

Resolved That the borough treasurer be and is hereby empowered and authorized to transfer from the Water Department of the borough to the treasury of the borough the sum of $5,250 to the same to be immediately available for the current expenses of the borough for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1914.

AUTO APPARATUS FOR NO. 5.

The Fire committee made the following report: We the members of the Fire committee of the Borough of Bristol, Pa., do hereby recommend the purchase of an American La France triple combination, type 10, chemical, hose and pumping auto apparatus for Enterprise Fire Company No. 5.

A communication was also read from the Enterprise Fire Company No. 5 to the Fire committee of council as follows:

At a special meeting of Enterprise Fire Company No. 5 we the committee on apparatus were instructed to notify the Fire committee that the Enterprise Fire Company No. 5 desires an American La France triple combination chemical hose and pumping auto apparatus type 10.

Councilman Spring made motion that the reports be received and the Fire committee authorized to purchase the desired apparatus, and made an earnest plea for the carrying of his motion. Mr. Rue, a member of the Fire committee, stated that he had not signed the report because there had been no meeting of the Fire committee to consider the question and he had known nothing of it until asked to sign the report in the council chamber. Mr. Grundy then offered an amendment to the motion, that the amount of purchase price be limited to $5000. Mr. Grundy said that he was heartily in sympathy with the motion to equip the Enterprise Fire Company with the most modern apparatus that could be secured, as the company had made a good record, but the request of the No. 5 Company had been for a combination chemical and hose apparatus and that was the style the Fire committee was instructed to investigate. Councilmen Brown and Conner expressed the same feeling in the matter. The motion was then called for and passed as amended.

On motion, a recess was declared, to meet at the call of the president, as the borough solicitors had questions of importance to present.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Police pay roll,	$370.00
A. R. Tice, janitor,	5.00
H. B. Nelson, hauling,	15.00
Allen, Lane & Scott,	17.00
W. C. Peirce,	75.60
W. P. Wright Estate,	4.40
L. J. Bryan,	.52
East Penn Gas & Electric Co.,	470.83
Frank T. Chambers,	112.39
W. C. Peirce, coal,	7.75
A. R. Tice,	1.29
H. McGinley, groceries,	2.01
H. Larrissey,	2.05
Daily Courier,	25.00
Street committee pay roll,	225.93
Franklin Printing Co.,	181.85
H. B. Vandegrift,	65.00
H. H. H. Poole,	50.00

Heard on the Street.

I came to Bristol in 1853 when one year old and moved with my parents into the house on Cedar street now occupied by Arthur Fine. The next year we moved next door where I have resided ever since—sixty years. —Officer A. R. Tice.

It cost our company about $400 to shovel the snow from our tracks.—Superintendent M. J. Hill, of the T. B. & P. Street Railway Company.

— — — — — — —.—William Wessaw.

Advertising pays. We have sold nearly our entire stock of 5-A horse blankets through our ad. in the Gazette.—William P. Wright Estate.

PROCEEDINGS OF CRIMINAL COURT

A Number of Bristol Cases Were on Trial at Doylestown This Week.

Doylestown, March 11.

The attendance at the opening of court Tuesday morning was much larger than on Monday, owing to the traverse jurors and witnesses in several cases being present.

TRAVERSE JURORS.

Upon the call of the traverse jurors the court stated that the following had been excused: Phares Albright, of Hilltown; Charles W. Dalton and Edward Nolan, of Bristol; George W. Rufe, of Durham; William Smith, of Bensalem, and E. J. Paine, of Plumstead.

JURY TRIALS DELAYED.

The wheels of Criminal court justice moved slowly Monday afternoon because there were no traverse jurors present to hear cases on which true bills had been returned by the Grand jury. The system, inaugurated by Judge Ryan, of having traverse jurors to report for duty on Tuesday morning of court week meets with general approval. By coming on Monday the theory is that they would be in attendance at court for a day when their services were not actually needed. This morning, however, the jurymen were on duty and every part of the court was in full operation.

PLEADED GUILTY.

Upon the opening of court Monday afternoon cases were heard in which pleas of guilty were taken.

George Garland, of Bristol, pleaded guilty of being a tramp. Officer Saxton, of Bristol, testified to seeing the man go from house to house and also approach a person on the street for money. He was a little intoxicated.

Sentence suspended but warned to get out of the county and go to work.

George Hampsher pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny and receiving stolen goods. Miss Helen Prickett, of Bristol, testified that Hampsher boarded at her father's home about three weeks and that he left on February 28 and that after he was gone some jewelry and a watch, an overcoat and $1.25 in money were missed.

Officer Bloodgood testified that the jewelry in question was found on the defendant when he was arrested in Tacony. Miss Prickett identified the goods.

Sentence—9 months in jail.

FREIGHT HOUSES ENTERED.

James Lee, Charles Miller, Edward Warren pleaded guilty to felonious entry, larceny and receiving stolen goods. Agent McNally, who had charge of the transportation company's freight house entered by the thieves, was called and testified that seven quarts of whiskey and a sweater had been stolen. The defendants were arrested in Torresdale for acting suspiciously about a livery stable. Information of their past history was lacking although one had told an officer that he had been arrested for illegal car riding.

Officer Musnuff, of Bristol, testified to passing the trio on the street on the night of the robbery. Sentence—Each man 1 year and 6 months in the county jail.

LARCENY OF COPPER WIRE.

Joseph Goldstein, of Trenton, pleaded guilty to stealing copper wire from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. He had about 52 pounds on his back when arrested.

Constable Mason, of Morrisville, testified that the defendant was about twenty years old, that his father runs a bakery in Trenton and is a reputable man.

Mr. Goldstein was called and said that his son lived at his home, and that he had never had any trouble with him before. He was never before arrested.

Thomas D. Tanner, of Bristol, testified that the defendant was carrying the bag containing the wire in the direction of Morrisville when he was arrested.

Sentence was deferred.

GRAND JUROR EXCUSED.

Edward M. Keating, of Bristol, was excused late on Monday from further service on the Grand jury during the week.

CHARLES CANNON'S HOUSE BURNED

Fire completely gutted the home of Charles Cannon, the poultry dealer, at 600 Bath street, on Thursday morning. Shortly after ten o'clock one of the young women employed at Clark's restaurant, stepped out into the yard and saw smoke emerging from the doors and windows of the back part of Cannon's house. She at once notified Mr. Clark, who telephoned the alarm to the electric light plant. The fire companies all responded promptly and on their reaching the scene, found dense clouds of smoke rising and the back of the house one sheet of flame. The back of the house and out buildings which were connected, were completely destroyed while the front part was gutted and will have to be torn down. The property belongs to the Taylor estate. The fire was a fierce one and it was seen at once that the building was doomed, so that the firemen devoted their energies to protecting surrounding properties. The house to the west of the burning property, owned by Mrs. Sophia Lincoln, and occupied by John Nelson, was considerably scorched on the one side, but the fire did not get inside. Cannon succeeded with the help of the firemen in saving a portion of his furniture, but the loss will be severe as his insurance expired on Wednesday and he had failed to renew it.

Death of William H. Sims.

On Wednesday afternoon about 4.30 o'clock death claimed William H. Sims, the well known plumber of Wood and Lafayette streets, after a five days' illness of pneumonia, at the age of forty-four years.

Mr. Sims came from Bethlehem to Bristol nearly five years ago, and about two and a half years ago he began the plumbing business for himself and had been quite successful. He was a member of four lodges; Loyal Order of Moose, and Knights of Friendship, of Bristol; Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of North Wales, and Knights of Golden Eagle, of Lansdale.

He is survived by his widow, Mary, and two children, Laura and Charles, at home, also his parents, William and Mary Sims, and two sister, Miss Lizzie Sims and Mrs. Adelia Heckman, all of Bethlehem. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Services at the house, Rev. J. A. Carr officiating. Interment in St. James cemetery.

Death of Mrs. Rebecca Cone.

Mrs. Rebecca Cone, widow of the late Captain Jonathan Cone, and a resident of Bristol for many years, died on Wednesday morning at Lansdale, Pa. She was the daughter of the late Wilson Hall. The remains will be brought to Bristol tomorrow morning for interment in St. James church yard.

Brotherhood Elects Officers.

On Monday evening the Methodist Brotherhood held an interesting meeting in the church parlor, when plans for the coming year were discussed. The annual election of officers was held with the following result: President, Charles B. White; first vice president, Doron Green; second vice president, B. Frank Connor; third vice president, Roy Fry; fourth vice president, John Beadling; secretary, Howard Coombs; treasurer, William Mohre. Arrangements are being made to entertain their lady friends on Thursday evening, March 26th.

Heacock & Hagonson are taking sub-bids on the grading of the grounds surrounding the new postoffice building.

ITALIAN STABBED FOR SNOWBALLING

The throwing of snow balls on the streets of Bristol has become such a menace to pedestrians, that the police department has forbidden the sport.

In the upper section of the borough crowds of boys and men would bombard wagons while passing, making it dangerous for drivers to take their teams along Lincoln or Jefferson avenue.

On Friday afternoon a stabbing affray resulted from the throwing of snowballs on Lincoln avenue. During the sport a snowball thrown by a young Italian struck Frank Caputo, of 13 Lincoln avenue, which so angered him that he whipped out a stiletto and stabbed the thrower of the snowball in the stomach.

A physician was summoned and on examination found that a flesh wound has been inflicted. As the case was not reported to the police department for three hours, the assailant made good his escape, although Chief Saxton had a warrant issued for his arrest immediately upon learning of the affair.

RECOVERING FROM BLIZZARD EFFECTS

Bristol has about recovered from the effects of the recent blizzard, which almost isolated the borough from the outside world. The trolley service has been resumed, the Newtown and Doylestown Company getting the tracks opened on Friday evening. The boat service has also been resumed, the staunch little steamer Springfield now making trips between Bristol and Philadelphia. But business has been greatly hampered by the inability of the Bell Telephone Company to overcome the effects of the storm, especially in the borough. The fire alarm system has been restored to its usual efficiency with the exception of the indicator at No. 2 house, which was badly damaged and will need new parts which have been ordered and will be placed as soon as received. The entire system would have been almost destroyed had it not been for the forethought of John Chambers, the efficient assistant of the chief of the fire alarm system, who when he realized the seriousness of the storm hurried to each of the other fire houses and disconnected the indicators. Fortunately there have been but two alarms of fire this month; the first one was on Sunday evening, March 1st in the height of the storm and was extinguished before the firemen reached there. The other was the Cannon fire yesterday.

Anniversary of S. of V.

Arrangements are completed for the anniversary celebration of Col. Goslin Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, which will be held in their rooms in Washington hall, on Tuesday evening next, March 17th, at which time they will entertain the members of the G. A. R. and the Ladies' Circle of G. A. R. A musical and literary programme followed by a banquet has been arranged. The special guests and speakers of the evening will be Past Commander Callahan, of the Division of Pennsylvania, and Division Secretray McNulty, both of Philadelphia.

The camp has grown to nearly one hundred and fifty members, all of whom are working enthusiastically for the camp.

The committee having the anniversary banquet in charge are Clinton Smith, W. Ray Smith and Archie Wright.

"Mother's Pensions" by P. W. A.

A largely attended meeting of the Philanthropic committee of the Public Welfare Association was held in the Algonquin Club rooms, on Wednesday afternoon last, when the subject of "Mothers' Pensions," was discussed. Also the local needs and the methods pursued in dealing with the various cases, were explained fully. As is the custom no names were mentioned, but underlying principles explained and the merit of this basis proven by results of marked improvement in health, honesty and morality, and the courage of those whose needs had been met.

Ferryboat Towed to Philadelphia.

The tugboat Bristol, of Philadelphia, came up and towed the ferryboat William E. Doron, of Bristol, to Philadelphia on Tuesday morning for the annual inspection. The license of the Doron expired on Friday last, but being fast in the ice, could not be taken down for the inspection and not being permitted to run under own steam without a license, the tugboat Bristol was ordered here to tow her down. Captain William Bredell and his crew were on board as was also Mr. Doron, Luther Bredell and Captain Jack Adams, of the "Admiral."

Bucks County W. C. T. U. Convention.

The twenty-ninth annual convention of Bucks county white ribboners will occur at Doylestown in the Presbyterian church on Saturday, March 14th, with sessions at 10.45 a. m., 2 and 7.45 o'clock. Mrs. Addie B. Parsells, the evening speaker, will be present during the day and assist with a live programme.

Strangled Infant Buried.

The body of the seven-days-old male child that was found wrapped in muslin in a paste board box at the Pennsylvania Railroad depot at Bristol on Friday morning, February 13th, and taken in charge by Deputy Coroner Harvey S. Rue, was buried in Bristol cemetery on Monday morning last. The infant had been strangled by tying a cord around its neck. No clue has yet been received as to the identity of its parents, or the person who left it at the station.

Death of William Lange.

William Lange, of Andalusia, died suddenly at the home of a friend in Philadelphia on Monday evening, March 9th. Mr. Lange had been ailing for a few weeks, but was getting better expecting to return to work in a week when he was suddenly stricken, dying in fifteen minutes. A widow and nine children survive him, Mrs. Elijah Counseller, and William Lange, of Philadelphia; Frederick, Florence, Susie, Harry, George and Emmerine, of Andalusia. Interment at the Bellevue cemetery, on Saturday at 1.30 o'clock.

Grundy to Present Penrose.

Dr. Charles E. McClelland, pastor of the Fairhill Baptist church, Philadelphia, well known in Bristol, has invited Senator Penrose to occupy his pulpit on a date set for next month. Joseph R. Grundy, of Bristol, closely affiliated with Penrose, will present the Senator to the congregation. Dr. McClelland has invited Rev. W. T. Johnston, of Bristol, to introduce Mr. Grundy. The prospects appear to be alluring.

Appreciated the Lecture.

Editor Gazette:—A rare treat was given the large audience that attended the lecture given at the Bristol Baptist church last Monday evening on "Dixie before the War," by one of the most interesting lecturers, Dr. C. A. Lamar, of Atlanta, Ga. Dr. Lamar is one of too few now left to give his personal experiences of life on the large Southern plantations during the time of slavery. He presented to the audience such true and interesting facts and conditions of days gone by and showed the amicable relations existing between master and slave. Dr. Lamar has the faculty of presenting to his listeners the humorous side of life, and the repeated outbursts of laughter and applause showed keen appreciation of the stream of wit and humor that ran all through his lecture. We are in hopes that at some future time we may have the pleasure of having Dr. Lamar give us more of his pleasant reminiscences of his boyhood life spent upon a large Southern plantation.

ADMIRER.

BRISTOL TO HAVE MILITARY COMPANY

Members Enlist and Form Association For the Purpose of Mustering a Battery of Light Artillery.

It is an assured fact that Bristol will have a military company, an organization having been formed on Wednesday evening last, when one hundred men met in Mechanics' hall and elected the following officers: President, Burgess Thomas Scott; vice president, W. Harry Lyndall; secretary, William Arensmyer; treasurer, Louis C. Spring.

The organization as formed will be a civic military company, but will adopt for its government, the rules and regulations of the light artillery of the State militia department.

Remarks were made by several prominent persons, advocating the organization and verifying the statement that the organization of such a company would mean much to Bristol, and that they would lend their influence to such a movement.

Thomas Walmsley, a member of the Phoenixville Battery of Light Artillery of the State Guards was introduced and explained in full the style of equipment required; the amount of expense borne by the state during the encampment of civic companies and the amount of ammunition furnished for target purposes. He stated that Bristol has men who are capable of filling the positions as officers of such a military company, and on an equal footing with any other in the state.

Thomas Wood, of the City Troop, of Philadelphia, also gave considerable information regarding the formation of a civic military organization, and its many requirements. The president was authorized to appoint a committee of five to draft by-laws for the association, and also a committee to procure a suitable building as an armory of sufficient size for the storage of the military equipment and for drill.

At a previous meeting the old Pennsylvania depot had been suggested as a suitable place, but after considerable discussion it was shown that the building was inadequate, and the matter was left in the hands of the committee when appointed.

Nearly two hundred men from Bristol and vicinity have expressed a desire to become members of the organization, and without doubt Bristol can make a record second to none in the State.

Came to Call and Was Operated On.

Alonzo Shinn, of Burlington, N. J., who came to Bristol last week to call on Miss Esther Daniels, was detained in the borough by reason of the blizzard, and while here had an acute attack of appendicitis. He was operated on at the home of Dr. Wagner, where Miss Daniels is employed as an assistant in administering electrical treatments.

In Memoriam.

SLACK—In sad, but loving remembrance of our dear son and brother, Warren, who departed this life, March 14th, 1911.

Three years ago you left us,
How oft we miss your darling face,
But you left us to remember
None on earth can take your place.
A happy home we once enjoyed,
How sweet the memory still,
But death has left a loneliness
The world can never fill.
Gone, oh how we miss him, but not forgotten.

MOTHER, FATHER AND SISTERS.

WHIFF—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear child, Nellie, who departed this life March 14th, 1908, aged 4 years, 3 months and 6 days.

The month of March again is here,
To me the saddest time of the year,
For just six years ago today
Our little Nellie from us passed away.
Sadly missed by her MOTHER.

Women's Pump and Oxford Sale
For Two Weeks
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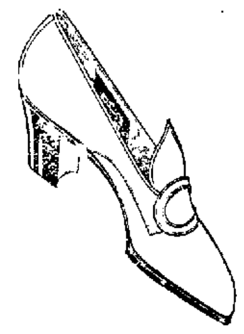
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Public Welfare Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Bristol Public Welfare Association will be held in the high school building next Tuesday evening, March 17, at 8.30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Advertisements under this head will be inserted for half a-cent a word. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

WANTED—A second-hand rolling top or flat top desk. Apply to the Gazette.

FOR SALE—Buffalo Robe and a large gilt pier mirror. 212 Mill street.

FOR SALE—Six pound Brown Leghorn cock. Apply to F. R. Hendricks, 313 Washington street.

PEPPER POT, Bread Pies and Biscuits. Saturday at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Willhite, 411 Cedar street.

WANTED—Garments for a new-born infant. Apply Miss Frances Landreth, chairman Philanthropic Committee Public Welfare Association.

LOST—Conductor Jesse C. Keen, of the T. B. & P. St. Ry. Co., lost his cap and badge, No. 8, in the storm on Sunday night last at Wheatsheaf. Any one finding it will receive a reward by returning it to the owner, Jesse C. Keen, Bridgewater, Pa.

LIBERAL COMMISSION AND SALARY to look after our business in your community. Interesting, dignified, healthful work. International Magazine Company, 119 W. 41st St., New York City. 2-13-2t

RECANING OF CHAIRS—Don't throw away those old chairs. I will call for and deliver them. I am the only man in Bristol who canes chairs. Drop a postal. Lewis P. Townsend, 156 Buckley street 2-20-6t

HAVE JUST RECEIVED a new lot of Marble and Granite. Place your order now and get advantage of same. We will hold for you, then you will not be disappointed in the spring. Bannister Marble and Granite Works. 1-30-tf

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WALNUT EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—902 Walnut street, Philadelphia. We make a specialty of supplying help, white or colored, male or female, to families. References thoroughly investigated. Farm hands supplied on short notice. Our services are free to employers. 1-16-tf

FARM FOR SALE CHEAP—Benjamin Taylor farm, 1.7 acres, good land, now occupied by Harry M. Darragh, in Falls township, Bucks Co., along Tullytown and Bordentown Ferry road, adjoining lands now or late of John Wright, George Opdyke, Anderson Williams, William Bylus, David H. Taylor and others. Good buildings, fruit, meadow with spring water. Two miles from Tullytown, 3 miles from Trenton. Will sell cheap on terms to suit. Write or call.
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Public Sale of Personal Property of Robert Barnhill

at his residence on Bristol Pike, between Bristol and Croydon Station, on

Friday, March 27th, 1914

at 1 P. M. sharp

HORSE—1 dark brown horse, 7 years old, sound and all right, work single or double, good driver, weighs about 1100 pounds.

PIGS—2 nice shoats about six months old, 1 brood sow.

MACHINERY—1-horse strike-out sled, cultivator, spike tooth cultivator, harrow, corn coverer, grindstone, wheelbarrow, corn sheller, wine press, sausage cutter, lard press, wheel hoe, Firefly plow.

WAGONS—Rubber tired runabout, steel tired runabout, in good condition.

HARNESS—2 sets light single harness, set express harness, set farm harness, collars, bridles, traces, halters, etc., stable and 2 other blankets.

MISCELLANEOUS—Hoes, rakes, shovels, picks, bars, log chain, 35 feet of tie-out chain, roll raw-hide paper, hotbed sash with frame, 5 good chicken coops, feed coop, feed chest, work bench with iron vise, 2 saw clamps, buck saw, 1-man saw, corn crib, holds 200 bushels corn; big chicken house, pig pen, lot of new and second-hand lumber.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—3-burner oil stove, 3-burner gasoline stove, 3-piece walnut bedroom suit, bedstead, carpet sweeper, 2 screen doors, folding go-cart, high chair, curtain stretchers, 60 yards matting, 25 yards brussels carpet, standing work basket, cot, screens, closet, small table, 2 porch rockers, 4 dining chairs, 9x12 brussels rug, 12-foot extension table, crex stair and hall carpet, 2 rockers, 2 Morris chairs, large heater stove, couch, 3 wash tubs, dome oil lamp, 20 yards linoleum, lot of jars and jelly glasses, churn, butter dish, ice cream freezer, Columbia scales, lawn mower, milk closet, fruit closet, lanterns, oil cans, and many other things to be hunted up by day of sale, as Robert is going to move.

Trolleys pass the door.

J. P. TAYLOR, Agent
for Robert Barnhill.
Edw. B. Minster, Auctioneer.
W. G. Minster, Clerk. 3-13-2t

William M. Shoemaker's Public Sale of Personal Property

at his residence in Hulmeville, Pa., on

Saturday, March 21st, 1914

at 1 o'clock P. M. sharp

The following partly described goods:

STOCK—5 horses, Nos. 1 and 2, pair of young horses coming 4 and 5 years old, have the promise of a fine team; No. 3, bay, 12 years old, extra good driver; No. 4, family horse; No. 5, good horse; one extra nice cow with second calf, yearling heifer, 60 chickens, ducks and guineas.

CROPS—38 tons baled rye straw, 1000 bundles of fodder, 100 bushels of corn.

WAGONS AND HARNESS—Rack wagon, lumber wagon, as good as new; Champion box wagon, 3 business wagons, pair bob sleds, sleigh, large lot of single and double harness and everything that goes with them.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—McCormick binder, 2 mowing machines, good as new; horse rake, hay fork, track, rope and pulleys, grain drill, corn plow, 2 cultivators, spike tooth harrow, spring tooth do, disc do, new hog scalder, 46-gallon farmer's boiler, iron kettle.

MISCELLANEOUS—Power sausage cutter, hand do, lot of butchers' tools, lot of household goods consisting of tables, chairs, dishes, pots, pans, kettles, etc.

There are many things not mentioned that will be hunted up and sold to the highest bidder as Mr. Shoemaker has bought a small place at Emilie and is going to quit farming. Terms cash.

J. C. EVERITT, Agent
for William M. Shoemaker.
W. J. Dixon, Auctioneer. 3-13-2t

Public Sale of Household Goods

347 Bath Street

on Saturday, March 21st, 1914,

at 12.30 o'clock.

Bedroom furniture, carpets, bedding, parlor, dining room and kitchen furnishings and everything pertaining to a complete home.

Terms cash.

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NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Harry Louderbough, to whom the Merchants and Mechanics Building Association of Bristol, Pa., issued a certificate of ownership of five shares of the Nineteenth Series of their capital stock, has given notice to said association that his said certificate of stock has been lost, and all persons are hereby notified that unless good reason to the contrary is shown on or before March 14, 1914, the said association will issue to said Harry Louderbough a duplicate certificate for said stock. The lost certificate is No. 3 and dated May 7th, 1906.

J. PHIL. BETZ, JR., Secretary,
Merchants and Mechanics Building Association. 2-20-4t

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on farm between Oxford Valley and Woodbourne

Twice postponed on account of snow, will be held on

Wednesday, March 18th, 1914

at 1 o'clock, p. m.

J. C. EVERITT, Agent
for Joseph Wilcox.

Closing-Out Sale of Personal Property of HARRY BARTLE

on Magnolia Lane near Beaver Dam Road, opposite the farm of John W. Foster, in Bristol township, on

Monday, March 23d, 1914,

at 12.30 o'clock, p. m.

Stock, Wagons, Harness, Implements and miscellaneous articles. Terms cash.

HARRY BARTLE.
E. B. Minster, Auct.
Wm. G. Minster, Clerk.

Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias to me directed, will be sold on

Friday, the 13th day of March, A. D. 1914,

at 11 o'clock a. m., at Public Sale, at the Sheriff's Office, in the borough of Doylestown, Bucks Co., Pa.,

All those four lots or pieces of ground being lots numbered 401, 400, 399 and 398 respectively, on the plan of lots of the Leamington Land Association, situated on the westerly side of Central avenue at the distance of one hundred and twenty feet southwardly from the southerly side of Brighton avenue in the township of Bristol, county of Bucks and state of Pennsylvania. Containing in front or breadth on said Central avenue one hundred and twenty feet (each lot 30 feet) and extending in length or depth westwardly between parallel lines at right angles to said Central avenue one hundred and twenty five feet.

Also all those certain six lots or pieces of ground with the two and a half story brick messuage or dwelling house thereon erected, and a two story frame stable and outbuildings also thereon erected, being lots numbered respectively 392, 397, 394, 395, 396 and 397, on said plan of lots, situated on the westerly side of Central avenue at the distance of sixty feet northwardly from the northerly side of Montgomery avenue in said township of Bristol. Containing in front or breadth on said Central avenue one hundred and eighty feet (each lot 30 feet) and extending in length or depth westwardly between parallel lines at right angles to said Central avenue one hundred and twenty-five feet. Being the same premises which Louis B. Hoffner and Mattie H. Hoffner, his wife, by their deed dated the Twenty-eighth day of February, 1910, and recorded in the Office for the Recording of Deeds, in and for the said county of Bucks, on March 1st, 1910, in Deed Book No. 350, page 348, etc., granted and conveyed unto the said Emma S. Lorenz (party hereto) in fee.

The improvements are a two and one-half story brick dwelling house, 42x31 feet; a one story frame kitchen attached, 11x18 feet; containing five rooms on the first floor, five on the second floor, two on the third floor, cellar under; also a porch on the east 42x9, and on the west 9x38 feet. A one story frame stable, open shed and wagon house, 42x33 feet. Stabling for three horses, two chicken houses, one 18x13 feet; other necessary outbuildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Emma S. Lorenz and William Lorenz, her husband, mortgagors, and Emma S. Lorenz, real owner of the land charged, and to be sold by

CHARLES M. MEREDITH, Sheriff.
William and William R. Stuckert, Attys.
Sheriff's Office, February 17, 1914. 2-20-4t

Public Sale of Furniture of the Algonquin Club

At their quarters Radcliffe street, Bristol, Pa.

Thursday, March 19, 1914

at 1 p. m.

All the elegant furniture and contents to go to the highest bidder. $500 Blasius piano, cover and stool, almost new; large quartered oak library table, as good as new, quartered oak library desk and chair, large leather rocker, flat top desk, golden oak, 24 arm chairs, style No. 1; 12 arm chairs, style No. 2; 12 arm chairs, style No. 3, all quartered oak, in good condition; 6 oak dining room side chairs, Old English finished oak, 4 rocking chairs, leather seats and backs; wicker easy arm chair, and 48 undertaker chairs, with carpet seats and backs.

Hall rack with mirror, quartered oak umbrella stand, 5 round Mission and Old English style card tables, good as new; pool table, regulation size; pool table, 4x8, both in good condition, with cues, balls and racks for each, National cash register, almost new, plate glass cigar case, 30x15x42, 2 ice coolers, 6 solid nickel cuspidors, new; 2 velvet rugs, 11x15 feet; velvet rug, 8x10; 2 rugs, 9x14; lot of fine pictures and prints in frames, lot of second-hand pool cloth, lot of linoleum, single white enamel bedstead, with springs and mattress, 2 10-quart coffee pots and a large boiler with spigot, lot of window shades, 16 sets of lace curtains, lawn mower, rake, hatchet, flag pole, brooms, brushes, cups, saucers, pitchers, plates, magazines, books, snow shovel and ice tongs.

Barber chair, Koch & Co.'s adjustable Columbia; cup racks, mirrors, clothes trees, 5 arm chairs, 2 rockers and a bootblack stand. This is all first-class barber shop equipment.

Several banquet tables and trestles, garden hose, kitchen range, No. 8, with water back, in good shape; No. 1 Homer heating stove, almost new, 4 good eight-day clocks in good order, and many other things to be hunted up by day of sale; all must be sold to the highest bidder as the club is about to disband. These articles are all first class and many are only recent purchases.

JOHN P. TAYLOR, Agent
for Committee of Club Sale.
Robert B. Clark, Auctioneer.
William G. Minster, Clerk. 3-6-2t

PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OF William H. Dyer

to be held on the premises, about one and one-half miles from Eddington, Pa., and near the stone road leading from Hulmeville to Andalusia, on

Saturday, March 14, 1914

at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp, the following, to wit:

HORSES—1 pair of well matched bay horses, 6 and 7 years, sound, kind and all right, work single or double and good drivers. This is a great market team and hard to beat, for the road is never too long for them.

COWS—Seven young cows and heifers, mostly Guernseys and Holsteins. Some in profit by day of sale; one is fresh now and an extra large milker.

WAGONS—Extra good 4-spring market wagon, carry 80 bus.; 2-spring top milk wagon, with sliding doors; 3-spring jagger wagon, in good order; new buggy, with leather cushions; farm cart, old buggy and spindles.

HARNESS—3 sets double harness, Lares' make, one set new and only used a short time; collars, bridles, lines, tie-straps, etc.; trace, breast, cow and other chains.

FARM MACHINERY—Adriance reaper and binder, low down; 2 mowers, 1 McCormick, in good shape, 1 Adriance, used only one year; 2 horse rakes, 1 extra good; 2 corn plows, 3 cultivators, Empire grain drill, wheel harrow, drag harrow, 60 tooth do., horse clipping machine, 3 sets of knives, shovels, forks, hoes, rakes, etc., wheel hoe, new model seed drill, good corn sheller, root cutter, nearly new.

MISCELLANEOUS—11 20-quart milk cans, nearly new; milk buckets and strainers; 8-quart ice cream freezer. Many other things to be hunted up by day of sale, as this will be a clean sweep, as Mr. Dyer has bought a small place and has no further use for them. Terms cash.

J. P. TAYLOR,
Agent for William H. Dyer.
Jesse J. Magill, Auctioneer.

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A Few New Ones:
432 Radcliffe Street—Large brick dwelling with beautiful river front large lot of ground can be bought reasonable.
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320 Washington Street—Modern, large frame dwelling, large lot. Cheap to quick purchaser apply early.
331 Washington Street—Modern, large frame dwelling, large lot. Cheap to be sold quick. Apply early.
312 Dorrance Street—Six rooms, good condition, excellent location, cheap to quick purchaser.
62 Logan Street—7 rooms, frame, excellent condition, good tin roof, newly painted and papered, can be purchased at a very reasonable price.

Notice
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Will Dyer's Closing-Out Sale, Saturday, March 14.
SEE TAYLOR.

Be on hand Thurs., March 19th, at the Algonquin Club Rooms and take home a souvenir lest you forget, to help the boys along.

Rob Barnhill's Closing-Out Sale March 27th on the Bristol Pike.

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To Home Buyers.
If you anticipate buying a home look over this list of desirable properties which I offer
For Sale
242 Wood street—2 1-2 story brick dwelling, 10 rooms, heat, bath and gas, hot and cold water, cement cellar and walks. This property is in fine condition. $2000 can remain on first mortgage quick possession.
405 Lafayette street—2 1-2 story frame dwelling, porch front, 8 rooms, bath hot and cold water, gas, cement cellar, side and back entrance.
582 Swain street—2 1-2 story single frame dwelling, front and side porch, 12 rooms, bath, gas, hot and cold water. Large stable and building lot in rear.
325 Otter street—2 1-2 story plaster cast dwelling, all improvements, hot water heat, concrete porch front and walks, large stable in rear, lot 50x150 feet. Price, $3800.
321 Jefferson Ave.—2 1-2 story frame dwelling, porch front, 8 rooms, newly papered, heat, bath, toilet, gas and drainage. Possession April 1, 1914. Easy terms.
342 Jefferson Ave.—2 1-2 story twin frame dwelling, fine condition, 7 rooms and enclosed shed, porch front and front yard, heat, bath and gas. Side and back entrances.
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And the man with the hat made of plush I assert,
I can stand, though the fad I have spurned.
I can stand for the guy with the white in his vest,
And not even grin when he passes.
But I snicker and smile, when I gaze on, the while,
The guy with the tortoise shell glasses.
I don't mind the man with the rakish green hat
With the bow in the back, nor the fellow
Who trims off each shoe with an up-to-date spat,
Nor the brother whose gloves are bright yellow.
But I'm ready to flee, when that dandy I see,
The guy with the tortoise shell glasses.
I can put up with him who must trim off each sleeve
With a row of pearl buttons, and note
In silence the man (though I secretly grieve)
With the braid on the edge of his coat
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Novel Experience of a Retired Sea Captain

By CLARISSA MACKIE

"Ho—hum!" yawned Captain Lew Phinney as he tipped back in his chair and scanned the heavens with a calculating eye. "I reckon it's going to rain Lindy."

Mrs Phinney looked up from her stocking basket and her thin nose curled scornfully.

"Seem's if I hadn't nothing better to do than to watch the weather I'd—find something," she complained.

The front legs of the captain's chair struck the piazza floor with a sudden jarring sound. His good natured face was dark with anger.

"Lindy," he said solemnly, "when I come back from that last v'yge to Cuby, with material fever eating the life out of me we decided that we had money enough to keep us comfortably off the rest of our days. I

"SAFE AS A ROCKING CHAIR WITH ME," HE BOASTED

ain't had no reason to change my mind about it, and as for lazying around, you ain't fair to me.

"I'm up at dawn every morning, and if I get my chores all done by 8 o'clock and am ready to help you with yours why, I'm entitled to loaf the rest of the time if I want to, but I don't really do much loafin'," he went on anxiously. "You remember, Lindy, I made $15 last month selling fish. If you'd only consent to my going into business with Ham Terrell we could make a tidy sum in that boat building place of his. And"—

Here Lindy Phinney interrupted with shrill objections to her husband's investing any part of his savings in the boat building business, although it was well known that Ham Terrell was rushed with orders and could make money "hand over fist" if he only had sufficient capital to work with.

At last the captain jammed his blue cloth cap on his bald head, and, with a last indignant glance at his wife, he trotted down the path.

Soon he came to the end of the road which had terminated in a wide rolling field flanked on all sides by tall woods. In the middle of the grassy field was a large monoplane, resting lightly on its four rubber tired landing wheels. Fussing around the machine was a young man clothed in a snug fitting aviator's suit with a helmet pushed back from his carroty hair.

The aviator espied the captain at the same moment, and he came forward with outstretched hand and a most engaging smile of welcome.

"Well, Captain Phinney, how do you do?" he asked heartily

"Middling well How are you?" asked the captain dazedly, for he had no recollection of the stranger "I reckon it's one of them fresh summer boarders that used to guy me last year," he muttered to himself.

"Fine—fine you got my message, eh?"

"Message?" echoed the captain

"Why, yes I sent a boy down to your place a-flying you to come up here and try a trip in my new aeroplane—some beauty eh?"

"I never got your note," returned the captain slowly "I reckon it came after I left the house Funny you should invite me to take a ride with you, because, hang it all, young man, I can't remember a thing about you—so there!"

The youth laughed cheerfully.

"Don't blame you a bit—there's so many redhead deal chaps in the world," he said easily. "But I used to go fishing with you last summer, and I remember you said once that you'd sailed every thing except an airship and you'd like to try one. So as I was flying over Squirrel harbor I thought I'd stop off and take you for a sail. Want to go?"

"Well, thunderation, Mr.—what's your name—eh?"

"Fales—Archie Fales, captain."

"Oh, yes! Well, Mr Fales, I'd like to go mighty, so I would No danger, eh?"

Fales laughed "Safe as a rocking chair with me" he boasted. "You're as light as a feather, captain, and I'm something of a skeleton myself, so that's all to the good Then there's that neat little aluminium cockpit where you can sit, and the seat for me is right behind"

Archie Fales buckled a strap around the captain's waist and started the motor Then he climbed into his own seat, placed his hands on the control wheel, and in three minutes they were rocking over the uneven ground and rising obliquely to spiral upward until they reached the desired height

Just as they lifted from the ground there came a shout from beneath, and Captain Phinney looked over and down to see the horrified upturned face of his wife, calling indistinguishable words after him Her hands were outstretched, and behind her there ran scattering crowds of men women and children also after all, Captain Phinney's first flight into the blue sky was witnessed by a crowd of awed on lookers

"I'm all right Lindy" called the captain as they flew up But Lindy Phinney could hear a sound save the ominous throb of the monoplane's engine as the machine bore her husband away.

"By the Lord Harry, that's not a bad way to get rid of a nagging wife!" muttered old Samuel Flood as he stumped past the weeping Mrs. Phinney. Although the words were not addressed to her, Lindy heard them, and their dreadful import spilled the cries on her lips and sent her scurrying home to hide her fear and grief behind her own doors.

So she had nagged Lew into flying away from her. Perhaps he would never come back again! She was glad that she had heard from a neighbor of the projected flight. If she had not done so she would never have believed that her husband would have entered the flying machine and gone away without a farewell word If he ever came back—well, she hoped her tongue had had a lesson. Never again would she nag him, for he was entitled to the rest that he had earned.

While Lindu Phinney mourned her husband almost as if he had indeed died—for she had little faith in his return alive from this mad expedition—the monoplane had risen perhaps 500 feet in the air and was skimming along like a huge swallow above the village of Squirrel Harbor.

"This is some sport, eh, captain?" asked Fales, bending down to shout the words above the whir of the motor.

"Ye-a-e-s!" roared the captain. "I dunno as I can stand such an almighty lot of it, Mr. Fales."

Fales laughed The captain only caught the tail end of the sound, but it made him turn around and look into the face of the aviator.

Beneath the concealing helmet, Fales' face looked sharp and white and peaked, and there was an evil grin dying away on his thin lips.

"Don't turn around that way unless you want a spill," he called sharply

After that Captain Phinney sat with thoughtful eyes fixed on the distant hills which they were rapidly approaching. Squirrel Harbor and the blue waters of the sound had long since disappeared, and they were flying over a desolate, uncultivated region

The captain felt a touch upon his shoulder The machine had slowed down and was almost drifting along in the air current. Fales face was close to his, and his eyes were distinctly dangerous.

"Captain Phinney," rasped Fales sharply. "I'll thank you for that $5,000"

"Five thousand dollars!" bellowed the captain "What do you mean, you lunatic?"

"You know what I mean," retorted the other with deadly intensity in his tones. "I want the $5,000 that you were going to deliver to Jeremiah Fenwick this afternoon in payment for the schooner Isabelle. Hand it over"

"I tell you I haven't got it!" insisted the captain. "I ain't got five thousand to invest in a rotten tub like the Isabelle! She ain't worth five hundred"—

"Shut up!" screamed the aviator through his teeth. "Now, see here, old man, no more fooling, understand? I brought you up here to get that five thousand, and if you don't give it to me—well, just look below there."

Captain Phinney glanced over and shuddered. Below were the wicked rocks of Devil's hollow.

"If you don't—over you go!" laughed Fales harshly. "That's what I brought you up here for!"

"You did, eh?" blazed the captain wrathfully. "And how'll you explain the murder, eh?"

"Accident, regrettable, but unavoidable! Now that you understand my terms, captain, shell out!"

Captain Phinney laughed. "Young man, I reckon you've overreached yourself. Somehow you had word that Captain Phinney was going to Jeremiah Fenwick's to hand over $5,000 cash in payment for an old tub of a vessel. Well and good Most any loafer in town knows that Captain Phinney always pays in cash for every deal he makes. Somebody tipped you to that information, and you waited there in Jeremiah's field thinking to waylay Captain Phinney, induce him to go for a ride with you in this thing umbob and then hold him up for the money. After you got the money there would be a regrettable accident It was a grand scheme, but you made one mistake in the beginning"

"Well," sneered Fales "It wasn't that you didn't draw the money out of the bank, because my pal saw you do it, and"—

"The mistake you made," smiled Captain Phinney over his shoulder "was that you tackled the wrong Captain Phinney. The one you wanted to rob is my brother. Captain Ben Phinney. He's got oceans of money and can afford to lose $5,000 I'm only poor Captain Lew, his younger brother. There's my name writ inside of my card from the lodge. See?"

Fales saw and turned a sickly yellow. There was a murderous look in his eyes

"Over you go anyway!" he screamed angrily. "You'll tell this tale up and down the streets until"—

"Stop a minute!" bellowed Captain Phinney, turning suddenly in the slackened belt. His right hand flew up and rested on his left shoulder, and Fales looked into the round, blue barrel of a very efficient looking revolver

"Get down to earth—quick!" ordered the captain in his quarter deck voice.

Fales snarled and reached forward There was a report, and the upper part of his helmet was blown from his head. He darted back, his pale blue eyes starting with fear He looked ridiculous with stiff locks of carroty hair sticking up through the torn helmet.

"You—old—bandit!" he gritted

"You going to take me back to Squirrel Harbor?" roared the captain angrily.

Without a word Fales' feet pressed the rudder bar, and the monoplane circled widely and turned toward the southeast. As they fled toward home Captain Phinney observed the face of the aviator with growing surprise and recognition in his own ingenious countenance.

"Ding bust it!" he suddenly yelled. "I've placed you at last, you cheap kidnaper! You're Jeremiah Fenwick's nephew—the one who stole $500 from him and ran away to study aviation. I guess you've studied it, too, and now you're studying how to get a whole lot of money without much effort Well, young feller, here's my proposition: You land me safe and sound in Squirrel Harbor and I'll not say a word about this matter.

"I'll keep mum about it to everybody except my brother Ben, and I'll swear him to secrecy, too, provided that you spread these here wings of yours and fly away from these waters as far as your money will take you, see? If you don't, by cricky, I'll tell phone to Nick Wayland, and he can write up the hull business for the New York newspaper he works for. Now what?"

Archie Fales scowled down at the determined little man behind the gun.

"You win," he said sullenly.

"You'll keep away from these waters?"

"Yes. You can bet I'm not going to place myself in a hazardous position," muttered Fales. "I've been offered a job in California, and I guess I'll take it."

"I advise you to," returned the captain heartily. "You'll find it a heap healthier out there than it is around here," he added significantly.

In silence they flew the rest of the way back to Squirrel Harbor, and it was a very much subdued aviator who shook hands with Captain Lew Phinney and saw him stiffly alight in Jeremiah Fenwick's field A dark youth in leather jacket and helmet was waiting there He glanced surprisedly

"GET DOWN TO EARTH—QUICK!" ORDERED THE CAPTAIN

at the old sailor and stepped into the seat just vacated by the captain The motor whirred, the monoplane glided away to rise for her flight, and the little crowd of villagers who had been waiting there for Captain Phinney's return gathered around his gallant little figure.

His keen eyes roved around in search of Lindy.

"She's gone home" volunteered somebody. So after he had told them that he had had a most interesting trip in the air, but that he preferred the solid ground under his feet next to a rolling deck, Captain Phinney sought his home

Lindy welcome him back as one from the dead and so noticeable is the change in her attitude toward her husband that many a henpecked husband of Squirrel Harbor threatens to take an air trip in hope of a cure for nagging wives But Captain Phinney smiles secretly when he thinks of the hair raising danger of that thrilling ride and how narrow had been the margin that separated him from death in the old quarry

Lindy's first words to him were:

"Oh, Lew, I've sent word to Ham Terrell that you're coming over to buy an interest in the business"

REAL ESTATE LEASES.

Origin of the Custom of Making Rentals For 99 or 999 Years.

Whence originated the use of the odd term in leases, 99 or 999 years?

In other days lessees and mortgagees in possession of real estate for 100 or 1,000 years dominated the same at an annual rental, retaining a reversion for the last year of the original term The object of this proceeding was to be found in the unwillingness of the under tenant to become bound to the performance of the covenant contained in the original grant and also in the importance to the lessee of a reversionary interest without which, under the old English practice, he could not recover his real by distraint

Sometimes this reversion was for only three days or even for only one day, but usually in long terms the last year was retained Out of this came the popular notion that the law provided this distraint, and hence leases were made for 99 or 999 years, when there was no reason whatever for any such odd period of time.

In England there was in special cases a restraint on corporations or ecclesiastical persons prohibiting the demise of lands belonging to them to the improvershment of their successors for a term beyond 100 years and such leases were accordingly made for 99 years.—Harper's Weekly.

Boosting a Stock.

"Stocks are valuable in keeping with the demand for them," said a Wall street man, "and the 'demand' is often created by queer methods A few years ago a man who is well known in the street was overloaded with a certain stock. He told his wife there was money in it and that it would soon have a big rise. Next day the good woman gave the tip to the woman who came daily to massage her The latter had many wealthy clients, to whom she gave the good cinch quick tip. The stock became popular, the man sold out, and the masseuse who set the ball in motion never knew why she received a present of extraordinary value at Christmas time from her client"

"From which one?"

"Why, from the one who said it was a 'good thing,' of course The others probably discharged her"—New York Tribune

Hyderabad.

The state of Hyderabad located about midway between Madras and Bombay, in the south central part of India, with a population about equal to that of New York and Massachusetts combined and with an area of 82,698 square miles (just about the same area as Kansas) is generally speaking, the most important native state in India in population wealth and potential resources It has many wild creatures, including tigers and leopards in abundance and occasionally lions and elephants There are also wild hogs, antelope, hyenas, wolves jackals and bears

He Still Had It.

"Look here, you swindler!" roared the owner of the suburban property to the real estate man "When you sold me this house, didn't you say that in three months I wouldn't part with it for $10,000?"

"Certainly," said the real estate dealer calmly, "and you haven't, have you?"

The Hatter and the Earl.

"The late Earl of Cork was a very pious person and extremely solicitous as to the future salvation of his fellow men One day, finding himself in a crowded railway carriage, he delivered a homily as earnest as it was undesired, exhorting every one immediately to set about insuring his happiness in a future life Presently one of the passengers, who had been listening very attentively to all that Cork said arrived at his station," says Lord Suffield in his memoirs "When he had got out on the platform he turned round and, leaning through the carriage door, said:

"Thank you, sir! One good turn deserves another You've put me up to a wrinkle in your profession; now let me give you one in return. I'm a hatter. Put a piece of blotting paper inside the lining of your hat and it will last twice as long Good day!"—London Globe

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THE COCOANUT PALM.

Almost the Life of the People in Many Tropical Countries.

The cocoanut palm is a native of the torrid zone and thrives best on the seacoast of the tropics. But in the United States it is not generally known that the uses of the palm (Cocos nucifera) are as numerous as the days of the year.

Found nearly everywhere within the tropics, almost the sole dependence for food of the palmivorous inhabitants of many countries, this king of low tropical countries furnishes man with food, drink, medicines, domestic utensils, materials for boat and house building, oil for cooking, lighting, lubricating and innumerable other purposes, and is of all the palmaceae the one that yields the greatest variety of products

It has been truly said by Tennant, the historian, that "of the cocoanut palm a ship can be built and laden too"

The cocoanut palm comes into bearing between the fifth and sixth year of its life, earlier if near the ocean front, later if inland any great distance, and will bear for 80 to 100 years thereafter. It is still in its full vigor at twenty-five to forty-five years of age and even up to seventy years may be found in fairly good bearing

So highly valued is the cocoanut in the orient that Tennant mentions a claim in court in the island of Ceylon for the two thousand five hundred and twentieth part of a "plantation" containing only ten cocoanut palms.—"Below the Rio Grande."

DINING WITH FRIENDS.

An Incident of Boarding House Life in a Great City.

Not until boarding houses cease to exist will all their romances be written Shabby romances most of them are like that of the young woman who got so tired of being called "poor thing" because she received no invitations and had to eat all her meals at the boarding house table that she took to eating alone once in awhile at a cheap restaurant and then brazenly lying about the friends who had invited her to dinner

The place was a young man in that house who never went anywhere either The first night the girl stayed out life's desolation nearly overpowered him.

"Even that poor little white faced soul has made friends who want her," he said. "Nobody wants me. I'm no good on earth"

Then on rare occasions his place at the table was vacant.

"New friends?" asked the landlady.

"Yes," the young man lied.

One night the man and the girl met at a twenty-five cent restaurant. They finished, they fenced, they finally confessed.

"We're a pair of frauds," said the girl. "It is awful to think that tonight when we go home we will have to swear that we have been dining with friends."

"Well," said the young man softly, "ain't we?"—New York Times

The Mullahs of India.

A mullah, or, as it is more properly written, mollah, is a title given in India and throughout the east generally to a religious leader of any description. Thus the sultan of Turkey is a mollah, because he is the supreme head of the moslem world And there are hundreds of others To most of the more conspicuous among them is prefixed the adjective maul." This, however, must not be taken to mean that they are unusually learned before used rather in its oriental significance of "inspired." The person of the mollah is sacred Not even the mighty Habibullah himself would care to lay a sacrilegious finger on one of these saintly personages. If he were to venture such an unheard of thing vengeance would surely overtake him. For it is the cardinal principle of the Ulama—as the mollahs are collectively termed—that an injury purposely caused to one of their number can only be atoned for by the death of the individual inflicting it.

Trap of the Fourmilion.

"There is a little insect that throws sand and valleys piles. They call it the fourmilion. The fourmilion digs itself a funnel shaped hole of the circumference of a silver dollar It lies hidden and watchful in the bottom of this hole, and when a spider or ant or beetle comes cautiously prospecting down the steep and slippery sides the inhospitable fourmilion launches upon its guest volley after volley of sand—a hail of stinging sand so abundant, so suffocating, so blinding that the visitor loses its head. He rolls unconscious for the nonce to the bottom of the hole, and the fourmilion calmly dismembers him before he has time to come to himself again and puts him in the larder for the next meal."

Repaid.

An Irishman knocked at a door one day and asked the lady of the house, who was very ugly, if she could help him, as he was hard up and on the road

"Indeed I'll not," she replied. "And if you don't clear off out of this I'll call my husband, who is a policeman, and he'll come and take you."

"I quite believe ye, missis," retorted Pat "He'll take anything when he took you."—Argonaut.

Seeking Harmony.

"This song is not suited to my voice," said the prima donna.

"Well," said the discouraged manager, "I suppose I'll have to get you another song There's no use of trying to have your voice rewritten."—Washington Star.

The Vienna Woman.

The Vienna woman is called the best dressed woman in the world, and she well deserves her title She is more French in attire than the Parisian, and she is more elegant than the Russian She combines the usefulness of the English with the delicacy of the Spanish. Yet she is a school of her own in dress. She is original to the last detail. To be thoroughly Viennese in dress is the dream of the well gowned European woman.—Brooklyn Eagle

Putting Her to the Test.

"John, didn't I tell you that if you came home tipsy another night I'd go home to my mother?"

"Yeah, m'dear."

"Then why have you come home in this condition?"

"Didn't you shay (hic) you'd go home t' your mother?"—Boston Transcript.

The Other Fellow.

The woman who spends all of her time and her husband's income maintaining a position in society is a member of the smart set. But the fellow who stood aside and let the other fellow marry her regards himself as the wise guy.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Powerful Explosives.

"What are the most powerful explosives known?" queried the young man.

"Two prima donnas in one opera company," replied the ex-theatrical manager.—Chicago News.

Almost.

Horace—Did the college authorities reinstate young Smith after he was expelled? Helen—Almost. Horace—Almost? Helen—Yes; I heard his folks say he was bailrock.

SETTING THE TABLE.

It Was Akin to a Religious Ceremony in Queen Bess' Court.

The setting out of the dinner of Queen Elizabeth was a ceremonious function

First came a gentleman with a rod, followed by a gentleman carrying a tablecloth, which, after they had knelt reverently three times, was spread upon the table. Then came two others, one with a rod, the other with a salteellar, a plate and bread They knelt three times, placed the things on the table, knelt again and retired Next came a lady in waiting followed by a second. The first lady dressed in white, after kneeling three times approached the table and solemnly rubbed the plates with the salt

These ordered twenty four yeomen of the guard clad in scarlet and each carrying a dish of gold These dishes were placed upon the table, while the lady taster gave to each of the guards a taste from the dish he had brought in for fear of possible poison These guards were selected from the tallest and stoutest men in all England.

At the close of this ceremony a number of unmarried ladies appeared and with great solemnity lifted the various dishes and carried them to the queen in her private apartments The queen dined and supped alone with few attendants, and it was seldom that any one was admitted at this time, and then only at the intercession of some one in power

EARTH EATERS OF SIAM.

Among the Loas Dirt Is Considered a Great Delicacy.

The Loas of Siam, it is said eat earth and enjoy it just as the German drinks beer, the Frenchman wine and the Englishman his ale No one knows exactly where they contracted the habit—perhaps during some time of great famine when there was nothing else to devour At any rate, the habit is strong, and rich and poor alike indulge.

They prefer it when it is procured near waters so that it has the taste of fish It is prepared into a pasty substance and smothered in the ground in a hot fire It is sold in the markets and stores and is served at dinners and big functions of all kinds Children, women and men eat it together

Of course it is dreadfully hard on the digestion and in time produces intense pain and death follows But, like the opium eater the dirt eater will beg for his food even at death's door

In some parts of the Kongo the dirt is sold in the shape of apples and oranges, and all kinds are given out—yellow dirt, brown dirt, gray earth and pinkish variety, too, which is considered a great luxury indeed.—Portland Oregonian.

A Puzzle in Figures.

Take any number of three different figures, as 471, under it place the same figures in reverse order, subtract the lesser number and you will find that the middle figure of the result is invariably 9. Why it is so is something that only the most learned mathematical scholars can explain. Here is our case worked out:

Taking any number, say	471
Reversing figures	174
Subtracting, we have	297

Further still, we can now reverse this number 297 in the same way and add the two numbers, and the result will always come 1089 Thus:

Taking	297
Reversing	792
Adding, we have	1089

Why should the answer always come out the same? Here's something for you to work over.

Two For a Quarter.

He was smoking a fine, full flavored Havana when he met his friend

"Have a cigar?" he inquired, very politely.

"Thanks," said the other gratefully, taking and lighting the proffered weed

After a few experimental puffs, however, the friend removed the cigar from his lips and, looking at it doubtfully, said, with a very evident abatement of gratitude in his tone:

"What do you pay for these cigars?"

"Two for a quarter," said the original proprietor of both weeds, taking his own cigar out of his mouth and looking at it with considerable satisfaction "This one cost me 20 cents and that 5"

The conversation languished at this point.—Puck.

"Links" as Applied to Golf.

Speaking of games, how many know the origin of the word "links" as applied to the field on which golf is played? The dictionary says that "links" means stretch of sandy soil, interrupted by heather But it comes from an old Saxon word "hlinc," which means a ledge, an embankment, a boundary. Malvern link and the links of St. Andrews were there and somebody invented a game to go with them.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mixed.

"How do you like my biscuits, hubby? I got the recipe out of a paper."

"Well, my dear, I found a button in one and a feather in another Maybe you got the cooking recipe mixed with the fashion hints."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Descriptive.

Extract from a schoolboy's letter to his little brother—"You know Tom Wilson's neck Well, he fell in the river up to it!"

All argument will vanish before one touch of nature.—Coleman

The Reason He Jokes.

When a man jokes about his wife being jealous you may depend upon it his wife has not a jealous bone in her body. Men with jealous wives do not joke about it.—Atchison Globe

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They Were In Blazing Sunlight, Yet Cast No Shadows

Every one knows that when a person stands in the full sunshine his body casts a shadow which will be either short or long, according as the sun is high in the heavens or near the horizon at sunrise or sunset A little thought will bring it home to the reader that obviously if the sun is exactly vertical over a person's head, there can be no shadow.

But the problem is to determine when and where this shall be the state of things. As regards the "where," that must evidently be at some place on the earth in the tropics, and the "when" must be the hour of midday. To get these two things to concur by prearrangement is a matter of no small difficulty

But as a matter of fact they did concur on a day in February, 1913—namely, the 13th, when a scientist, W. B. Gibbs, was in mid ocean in latitude 15 degrees south, the sun's declination being also about 15 degrees south.

A photo, reproduced in the London Strand, represents Gibbs and another man standing both upright on the deck facing one another, and clearly shows the absence of any sign of a shadow—in other words, it lateral shadow—in which is such a proves that the ship was in such a latitude that the sun was vertically overhead and that the time was noon, when the sun was at its highest altitude as between east and west.—Exchange

SAVE YOUR APPENDIX.

This Mysterious Organ May Prove to Be a Valuable Gland.

The appendix is not a useless organ undergoing degeneration, as has been hitherto supposed, but is a valuable gland, and persons should think twice before having it removed This is a part of a report presented to the French Academy of Sciences by Dr. Perrier

Another well known French scientist, the late Dr Lucas-Championnere, warned the medical world some years ago that the appendix probably was undeserving of present day contempt, yet he was unable to establish the possible function of this small and mysterious organ

Dr. Perrier's report is based upon studies made by Dr Robinson The latter collected the mucous secretions from a large number of appendixes removed at the hospitals and prepared a serum which on being injected into animals, was found to stimulate the contractile movements of the intestines. Dr Robinson, therefore, was convinced that the appendix cannot be cut out without seriously interfering with intestinal action, although he recognizes the necessity of operating when the gland is gangrenous or otherwise diseased.—Paris Cor New York Sun.

Making a Present.

Lady Jersey was in her time one of the leaders of fashion, and her house was the resort of politicians and others. With her lived her daughter, Lady Clementine Villiers, a handsome and clever girl The custom had been established that all friends should give the latter a present on her birthday, and these presents were set out in an antechamber Among these friends was Lord Broughan, then an old man. He called on a birthday, but had forgotten what the occasion was, and had brought no present Seeing a mass of presents laid out, he seized one of them and took it in as his present, rightly counting that the young lady would not remember that it was one that already been given to her And very proud he was of his presence of mind. But, then, he was an ex-lord chancellor.—London Truth

"Occult" Information.

A. Henry Savage Landor may deny on geological grounds the existence of any "lost Atlantis," but there are among the theosophical and other occult fraternities people who will cheerfully draw you a map of the vanished land and give you a description of its people, their manners and customs. The information is obtained by various mystical methods—"revelations," clairvoyance, etc. Some years ago it was discovered by similar "occult" means that at the north pole itself the temperature was so mild that a "green island" existed there—a kind of arctic arcady It was all very interesting until Peary, the explorer, came on the scene and—but cold fact is always so unromantic!—London Chronicle.

Conscientious About It.

"Mr. Gilzzard," asked the caller, "are you carrying all the life insurance you can afford?"

"No," answered the man at the desk; "I can afford more, and I had expected to take out more, but from a note I got from my employer this morning I have begun to suspect that I'm carrying a good deal more than I am worth."—Chicago Tribune.

Fashion Note.

"So you've decided not to get that new gown that you had ordered from your dressmaker?"

"Yes; she's so busy that she couldn't have it done for at least three weeks, and by that time it would be out of style."—Chicago Record-Herald

Family Affair.

She—Are they happy together? He—Well, he stays in every evening She—Then they must be. He—But she goes out.—Judge.

Fortune displays our virtues and our vices as light makes all objects apparent.—La Rochefoucauld.

Judicious Charity.

"I don't believe he is so miserly as they say. I hear he invites his poor relations to visit him each year"

"Yes. They all live at a considerable distance and are too poor to come"

WOMEN IN THE MIDDLE AGES.

They Held Office and Could More Than Hold Their Own in Trade

Women in England have always shared in the industrial life of the nation. Curiously enough, writes Mr. A Abram in "English Life and Manners In the Later Middle Ages," a statute of 1363 that ordered men to keep to one trade left women free to practise as many as she chose.

In a few instances, at least, women in the later middle ages discharged duties and held offices that do not fall to their lot nowadays. There are aldams to women burgesses in the records of London and other towns, and if women married aliens they could naturalize them.

Women did not shrink from engaging in foreign commerce. They exported goods to France, Spain and other countries. A widow, Margery Russell of Coventry, is mentioned in no less than three different existing documents. Her business must have been on a fairly large scale, for she was robbed of merchandise worth £800 by some men of Santander, in Spain. In order to recoup herself for her losses she obtained letters of marque that empowered her to seize the goods belonging to countrymen of the offenders.

Margery apparently took more than was due her, for two Spanish merchants lodged complaints against her but one of the Spaniards declared that she had refused to do so, although he had a commission directed to the exchequer. If Dame Margery Russell was a type, women traders of the middle ages were well able to look after themselves.

ORIGIN OF PERFUMES.

Used at First to Kill the Odors of Burning Flesh.

In the good old times the use of perfumes was originated to counteract the offensive odors arising from burning flesh which was being offered as a sacrifice. For this reason incense was always burned in the temples, and from that burning comes the word incense, which is a reminiscence of the word incense, which means "through the smoke."

Arabia has always been the land of perfume, the "scents of Araby" being classic. Lady Macbeth refers to "all the perfumes of Arabia" in her sleep walking agony when she fancies she cannot wash the smell of Duncan's blood from her hand.

While Arabia has most of the fame it is undoubtedly a fact that to Egypt belongs most of the credit, for the art of perfuming was practiced there to its fullest extent. Even the embalmed dead were saturated with spices and scents which have retained their delicacy of aroma after thousands of years. It was from old Egypt that the Greeks and Romans learned the use of the still for extracting perfumes from plants and flowers To this Roman love for perfumes no doubt as much as to her own habits was due the fact that Cleopatra's barge was so overwhelmingly scented. Shakespeare describes it with:

Purple the sails and so perfumed that
The winds were lovesick with them
—Philadelphia Record

Consolation.

A victim to hysterical grief over the death of her husband after forty years of an exceptionally happy wedded life grandma sat in her rocking chair moaning and weeping.

Little Robert (escaping from the usual watchful care of his nurse, "Aunt Mandy Sanderson," negress of 300 pounds or more, black as anything human could be, and a complete antithesis to the refined, gracious and delicate grandma of sixty, whose grief her grandson would try to assuage)—"Please don't cry so, grandma," he pleaded, as he passed his little hand over her gray locks and with boundless sympathy in his tones. "I'm sure you can get another husband very soon. Why, even Aunt Mandy Sanderson had seven of them."—New York Sun.

Took It Like a Philosopher.

One day Mrs. Jones rushed into the library to her husband with hasty steps and a wild look of excitement.

"Oh, John, oh, John!" she exclaimed with a lot of emotional thrills "Norah made a mistake and tried to light the kitchen fire with gasoline!"

"Gasoline, eh?" calmly responded John. "Did she get it started?"

"Did she get it started?" cried the amazed Mrs. Jones. "It blew her out the kitchen window!"

"That's all right, my dear," returned the philosophical Jones. "It was her afternoon out, anyway."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Not Very Funny.

"I did my best to be entertaining," said the young man in a voice of sorrow.

"Did you succeed?"

"I'm afraid not. I recited Hamlet's soliloquy. She looked at me reproachfully for several seconds and then exclaimed, 'I don't think that's very funny!'"—London Telegraph.

It Would Be Proper.

"Would you," her inquisitive friend asked, "speak to a man without an introduction?"

"Well, I might. If, for instance, I were to squirt my grapefruit juice in his eyes I should certainly ask his pardon."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Fashion's Poor Slave.

Willie—Paw, what is a slave to fashion? Paw—A man who has a wife and some grown daughters, my son.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

An error gracefully acknowledged is a victory won.—Gascoigne.

Odd Contrasts in Climate.

New York is usually thought of as being directly west from London It is, however, despite its far more rigorous climate, 900 miles nearer the equator than is the British capital. The bleak coast of Labrador is directly west of London. The same line passes the southern part of Hudson bay and Lake Winnipeg. On the other side of the continent it touches the southern extremity of Alaska and continues through the center of the isthmus of Kamchatka and Siberia and Russia to Homburg

Another illustration of the unexpected in contrasts is found in a comparison of St. John's, Newfoundland, with Paris. Paris has a winter of comparative mildness, while St. John's is a region of bitter cold and fogs, with drifting icebergs along its coast. Yet St. John's is 100 miles nearer the equator.

Anatole France on Journalism.

M. Anatole France, in reply to a toast of his health, said: "I have been a journalist and am one still I owe to journalism some of the qualities that you have exaggerated. Journalism taught me a great part of the art of writing. The two things most useful in writing are ease and simplicity Journalism teaches those things so well that the style even of great writers like Chateaubriand gained from journalistic experience."—London Times.

New York's Sewage.

Every day there is poured into the Harlem river 99,000,000 gallons of sewage; into the North river, 152,000,000 gallons; into the East river, 264,000,000 gallons. So in the course of a year New York city pollutes its harbor with about 495,000,000 gallons of refuse matter.—New York World.

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